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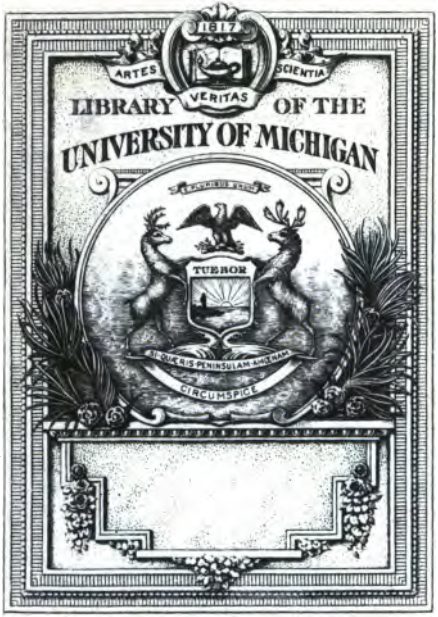

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FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 2, 1816.

At the Court at *Brighton*, the 30th day of *December* 1815,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable William Pitt Lord Amherst was, by command of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 6, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years

" of the reign of His present Majesty, as au-
" thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons
" to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown
" for making out writs for the election of Mem-
" bers to serve in Parliament in the manner
" therein mentioned; and for substituting other
" provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of William Hoare Hume, Esq. late Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Wicklow, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown in Ireland to make out a new writ for electing of a Knight to serve in this present Parliament for the said county of Wicklow, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Dated the 2d day of January 1816,

CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Whitehall, January 3, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint Rear-Admiral Charles Vinicombe Penrose, to be a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, in the room of Vice-Admiral Lord Viscount Gardner, deceased.

Dublin-Castle, December 22, 1815.

This day His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, was pleased, in pursuance of the commands of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent

Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the following Officers, Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, viz.

Colonel the Honourable Sir Robert Le Poer Trench.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Joseph Carncross.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 9, 1816.

ELECTION OF THREE TEMPORAL PEERS OF IRELAND.

Crown and Hanapar-Office, Dublin, January 9, 1816.

IN pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of His present Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords "Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to "serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, "on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and "returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give notice, that writs, bearing teste this day, have issued for electing three Temporal Peers of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancies by the demises of George Baron Callan, John Earl of Glandore, and Robert Earl of Wicklow, in the House of Lords of the United Kingdom, and to sit and vote, on the part of Ireland, in the said House of Lords of the United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, being

the Peers who sat and voted in the House of Lords of Ireland before the Union, and the Peers whose right to sit and vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, on claims made in their behalf, been admitted since the Union, by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom, and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office.

Charles Marquess of Drogheda.
Richard Marquess Wellesley
Thomas Marquess of Headfort.
Howe Peter Marquess of Sligo.
Walter Earl of Ormond and Ossory.
Edmund Earl of Cork and Orrery.
Patrick Earl of Roscommon.
John Earl of Meath.
Henry Earl of Barrymore.
Richard Earl of Cavan.
George Earl of Granard.
Rynan Diederick Jacob De Giuchell Earl of Athlone.
William Wentworth Earl FitzWilliam.
Francis Thomas Earl of Kerry.
John Earl of Darnley.
Frederick Earl of Besborough.
Henry Earl of Shelburne.
Francis Rawdon Earl of Moira.
James George Earl of Courtown.
Francis William Earl of Charlemont.
George Earl of Kingston.
Robert Earl of Roden.
John Earl of Aldborough.
Stephen Earl of Mount Cashel.
Thomas Earl of Longford.
John James Earl of Farnham.
Henry Lawes Earl Carhampton.
John Earl of Mayo.
John Earl of Enniskillen.
John Earl of Erne.

John

John Joshua Earl of Carysfort.
Edmund Earl of Kilkenny.
Arthur Earl of Mount Norris.
Richard Earl of Lucan.
Robert Earl of Londonderry.
Somerset Earl Belmore.
Henry Earl Conyngham.
Francis James Earl of Landaff.
Charles Henry St. John Earl O'Neill.
Francis Earl of Bandon.
Richard Earl of Donoughmore.
Dupre Earl of Caledon.
Edmund Henry Earl of Limerick.
Richard Earl of Clancarty.
Archibald Earl of Gosford.
Laurence Earl of Ross.
Charles William Earl of Charleville.
Robert Viscount Kilmorey.
Thomas Viscount Ranelagh.
Richard Viscount FitzWilliam.
Thomas James Viscount Bulkeley.
Matthew Viscount Barnewall.
John Christopher Viscount Downe.
John James Viscount Strabane.
Richard Viscount Chetwynd.
George Viscount Middleton.
Gustavus Viscount Boyne.
Joshua Viscount Allen.
George Viscount Barrington.
Richard Viscount Powerscourt.
William Viscount Ashbrook.
Arthur Viscount Dungannon.
James Viscount Lifford.
Henry Welbore Viscount Clifden.
Hayes Viscount Doneraile.
Thomas Viscount Northland.
Henry Viscount Harberton.
Cornwallis Viscount Hawarden.
Charles John Viscount Mountjoy.

Hugh

Hugh Viscount Carleton.
Richard Viscount Bantry.
Henry Stanley Viscount Monck.
John Viscount Kilwarden.
Cornelius Viscount Lismore.
Robert Viscount Lorton.
John Baron Kinsale.
Randal Baron Dunsany.
Thomas Baron Louth.
Richard Baron Cahir.
Andrew Thomas Lord Blaney.
Francis Ingram Baron Conway of Killultagh.
John Baron Carbery.
Matthew Baron Aylmer.
Henry Baron Mulgrave.
Charles George Baron Arden.
Robert Tilson Baron Muskerry.
John Baker Baron Sheffield.
William Baron Riversdale.
Lowther Baron Muncaster.
Richard Baron Sunderlin.
James Caulfield Baron Kilmaine.
Valentine Baron Cloncurry.
Sampson Baron Eardley.
Luke Baron Clonbrock.
Richard Baron Waterpark.
Samuel Baron Bridport.
George Augustus Baron Rancliffe.
Warner William Baron Rossmore.
George Baron Keith.
William Baron Hotham.
James Baron Tyrawley.
Charles Henry Baron Castlecoote.
Clotworthy Baron Langford.
Lodge Baron Frankfort.
James Baron Dufferin and Claneboye.
Richard Baron Adare.
Thomas Baron Ventry.

Wil-

William Baron Ennismore.
Henry Baron Dunnally.
John Baron Tara.
Maurice Baron Hartland.
John Baron Clanmorris.
William Baron Radstock.
John Baron Norbury.
Frederick Baron Ashtown.
John Baron Rendlesham.
William Baron Castlemaine.

Thos. Bourchier,
Deputy Clerk of the Crown, Ireland.

Foreign-Office, January 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Anthony St. John Baker, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul-General in the United Staes of America.

Whitehall, December 13, 1815.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, taking into His royal consideration the highly distinguished services of Colonel James Stevenson Barns, Lieutenant-Colonel of the 1st (or Royal Scots) Regiment of Foot, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, manifested by him on divers important occasions in the campaigns of Toulon, Corsica, Holland, Egypt, and during the recent arduous operations and splendid achievements of His Majesty's arms in Portugal, Spain, and France, and being desirous of conferring upon that Officer such a mark of His Majesty's favour, as may, in an especial manner, evince the sense His Royal Highness entertains of the intrepidity and valour displayed by him at the memorable battle of Busaco (wherein

(wherein as Lieutenant-Colonel on the Staff he commanded a brigade); at the capture of Badajos, on the 6th of April 1812; at the victory of Salamanca (wherein leading his battalion to the charge he was severely wounded); and his distinguished gallantry at the assault and capture of St. Sebastian, and at the battles of the Nive; hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the said Colonel Barns, His Majesty's royal licence and authority, that he and his descendants may bear the following honourable augmention to the arms of his family, viz. "*A chief, thereon the representation of the curtain of a fortification, and above, the word* ST. SEBASTIAN, *as also a canton, charged with representations of the gold cross presented by His Majesty's command to the said James Stevenson Barns, and of the badge of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, pendent from the ribbands to which the said distinctions are respectively attached;*" and the following crest of honourable augmentation, viz. "*Issuant from a broken battlement, a dexter arm in armour, the hand grasping a banner, inscribed* ST. SEBASTIAN," in allusion to the conspicuous conduct of the said Colonel Barns on the 31st of August 1813, when he gallantly led the 3d battalion of the Royals, and assaulted and carried the curtain of that fortress, thereby eminently contributing to the ultimate capture of that important place; provided the said armorial distinctions be first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command, that the said concession and especial mark of His Majesty's favour be registered in the College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 13, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 12, 1816.

THE Lord Chamberlain has been pleased to appoint the Reverend James Stanier Clarke (Chaplain of the Household and Librarian to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent) to be one of His Majesty's Chaplains in Ordinary, in the room of the Reverend Thomas Fountain, deceased.

Whitehall, January 8, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Matthew Brown, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Thomas Ashton, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, January 9, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Wragg, of Belper, in the county of Derby, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 16, 1816.

Whitehall, January 16, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Brownrigg, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander in Chief of the British Settlements in the Island of Ceylon, and Colonel of His Majesty's 9th Regiment of Foot, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 20, 1816.

Downing-Street, January 18, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint Colonel James Bathurst to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Virgin Islands, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Napier, resigned.

Foreign-

Foreign-Office, January 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint James Robert Matthews, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Cadiz.

Whitehall, January 19, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Rogers Taylor, of Gosport, in the county of Southampton, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 23, 1816.

Whitehall, January 23, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to the following Gentlemen, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten, viz.

Sir Chaloner Ogle, Knt. Admiral of the Red Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet.

Banastre Tarleton, Esq. General in the Army, and Colonel of His Majesty's 21st Regiment of Light Dragoons.

John Floyd, Esq. General in the Army, and Colonel of His Majesty's 8th Regiment of Light Dragoons.

Whitehall, January 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, has been pleased to nominate and appoint Major-General Sir Hudson Lowe, Knt. Knight of the Imperial Russian Military Order of St. George of the 4th class, and of the Royal Prussian Order of Merit, Lieutenant-General in the island of St. Helena, and Governor of the same for the Honourable the East India Company, to be a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 26, 1816.

Whitehall, January 26, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, upon the recommendation of Field-Marshal the Duke of Wellington, for their services in the battles fought upon the 16th and 18th of June last, in addition to the Officers recom-

commended by His Grace, whose names appeared in the London Gazette of the 16th September 1815:

Lieutenant-Colonel Baron Tripp, of the 60th Regiment.

Major the Honourable George Dawson, of the 1st Dragoon Guards.

Whitehall, January 24, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, has been pleased to appoint James Allan Park, Esq. of Lincoln's-Inn, one of His Majesty's Counsel learned in the law, to be one of His Majesty's Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, in the room of Sir Alan Chambre, Knt. who has resigned.

St. James's, January 22, 1816.

The Lord Bishop of Exeter, as Clerk of the Closet, has, with the approbation of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, appointed the Reverend James Stanier Clark, B. C. L. and F. R. S. to be one of the Deputy Clerks of the King's Closet.

Crown-Office, January 27, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Armagh.

The Honourable Henry Caulfield, in the room of William Brownlow, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 30, 1816.

Dublin-Castle, January 22, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the following promotions in the Peerage of this part of His Majesty's United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, called Ireland, to the following Noblemen, and the heirs male of their bodies respectively, viz.

To Walter Earl of Ormonde and Ossory, Knight of the Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, the dignity of a Marquess, by the name, stile, and title of Marquess of Ormonde, in the county of Tipperary.

To Robert Earl of Londonderry, the dignity of a Marquess, by the name, stile, and title of Marquess of Londonderry, of the county of Londonderry.

To Henry Burton Earl Conyngham, the dignities of a Viscount, Earl, and Marquess, by the names, stiles, and titles of Viscount Slane, in the county of Meath, Earl of Mount Charles, and Marquess Conyngham, of the county of Donegal.

To Charles John Viscount Mountjoy, the dignity of an Earl, by the name, stile, and title of Earl of Blessington, in the county of Wicklow.

To Richard Viscount Bantry, the dignities of Viscount and Earl, by the names, stiles, and titles of Viscount Beerhaven and Earl of Bantry, in the county of Cork.

To Richard Baron Cahir, the dignities of Viscount and Earl, by the names, stiles, and titles of Vis-

Viscount Cahir and Earl of Glengall, in the county of Tipperary.

To John Baker Holroyd Baron Sheffield, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Baron Sheffield, of Dunamore, in the county of Meath, and Baron Sheffield, of Roscommon, in Ireland, the dignities of Viscount and Earl, by the names, stiles, and titles of Viscount Pevensey and Earl of Sheffield, in Ireland.

To Lodge Evans Baron Frankfort, the dignity of a Viscount, by the name, stile, and title of Viscount Frankfort de Montmorency, of Galmoye, in the county of Kilkenny.

To Richard Baron Adare, the dignity of a Viscount, by the name, stile, and title of Viscount Mount Earl, in the county of Limerick.

To William Baron Ennismore, the dignity of a Viscount, by the name, stile, and title of Viscount Ennismore and Listowel, in the county of Kerry.

And to John Prendergast Baron Kiltarton, the dignity of a Viscount, by the name, stile, and title of Viscount Gort, of Limerick, with remainder to the Right Honourable Charles Vereker, nephew of the said John Prendergast Baron Kiltarton, and to the heirs male of his body.

Downing-Street, January 29, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Lieutenant-General Sir John Coape Sherbrooke, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be Captain-General and Governor in Chief of the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and the Islands of Prince Edward and Cape Breton.

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Downing-Street, January 29, 1816.

His Hoyal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Charles W. Maxwell to be Governor and Commander in Chief of the Island of Dominica.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, January 30, 1816.

The Prince Regent has been pleased to appoint Matthew John Tierney, of Dover-Street, London, and of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Esq. M. D. Physician to the Household at Brighton, to be a Physician in Ordinary to His Royal Highness.

Whitehall, January 29, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Silk, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 3, 1816.

The Speech of the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Thursday, February 1, 1816.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

WE are commanded by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to express to you His deep regret at the continuance of His Majesty's lamented indisposition.

The Prince Regent directs us to acquaint you, that He has had the greatest satisfaction in calling you together, under circumstances which enable Him to announce to you the restoration of Peace throughout Europe.

The splendid and decisive successes obtained by His Majesty's arms, and those of His Allies, had led, at an early period of the campaign, to the re-establishment of the authority of His Most Christian Majesty in the capital of His dominions; and it has been since that time His Royal Highness's most earnest endeavour to promote such arrangements as appeared to Him best calculated to provide for the lasting repose and security of Europe.

In the adjustment of these arrangements it was natural to expect that many difficulties would occur; but the Prince Regent trusts it will be found that, by moderation and firmness, they have been effectually surmounted.

To the intimate union which has happily subsisted between the Allied Powers, the nations of the Continent have twice owed their deliverance. His Royal Highness has no doubt that you will be

sensible of the great importance of maintaining in its full force that alliance, from which so many advantages have already been derived, and which affords the best prospect of the continuance of peace.

The Prince Regent has directed copies of the several Treaties and Conventions which have been concluded to be laid before you.

The extraordinary situation in which the Powers of Europe have been placed, from the circumstances which have attended the French revolution, and more especially in consequence of the events of last year, has induced the Allies to adopt precautionary measures, which they consider as indispensably necessary for the general security.

As His Royal Highness has concurred in these measures, from a full conviction of their justice and sound policy, He relies confidently on your co-operation in such proceedings as may be necessary for carrying them into effect.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

The Prince Regent has directed the estimates for the present year to be laid before you.

His Royal Highness is happy to inform you, that the manufactures, commerce, and revenue of the United Kingdom are in a flourishing condition.

The great exertions which you enabled Him to make, in the course of the last year, afforded the means of bringing the contest in which we were engaged to so glorious and speedy a termination.

The Prince Regent laments the heavy pressure upon the country which such exertions could not fail to produce; and His Royal Highness has commanded us to assure you, that you may rely on every disposition, on his part, to concur in such measures of economy as may be found consistent with the security of the country, and with that station which we occupy in Europe.

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My Lords, and Gentlemen,

The negociations which the Prince Regent announced to you, at the end of the last session of Parliament, as being in progress, with a view to a commercial arrangement between this country and the United States of America, have been brought to a satisfactory issue. His Royal Highness has given orders that a copy of the Treaty which has been concluded shall be laid before you; and He confidently trusts, that the stipulations of it will prove advantageous to the interests of both countries, and cement the good understanding which so happily subsists between them.

The Prince Regent has commanded us to inform you, that the hostilities in which we have been involved in the island of Ceylon, and on the continent of India, have been attended with decisive success.

Those in Ceylon have terminated in an arrangement highly honourable to the British character, and which cannot fail to augment the security and internal prosperity of that valuable possession.

The operations in India have led to an armistice, which gives reason to hope that a peace may have been concluded on terms advantageous to our interests in that part of the world.

At the close of a contest so extensive and momentous as that in which we have been so long engaged in Europe, and which has exalted the character and military renown of the British nation beyond all former example, the Prince Regent cannot but feel, that under Providence He is indebted for the success which has attended His exertions, to the wisdom and firmness of Parliament, and to the perseverance and public spirit of His Majesty's people.

It will be the Prince Regent's constant endeavour to maintain, by the justice and moderation of

His conduct, the high character which this country has acquired amongst the nations of the world: And His Royal Highness has directed us to express His sincere and earnest hope, that the same union amongst ourselves, which has enabled us to surmount so many dangers, and has brought this eventful struggle to so auspicious an issue, may now animate us in peace, and induce us cordially to co-operate in all those measures which may best manifest our gratitude for the Divine protection, and most effectually promote the prosperity and happiness of our country.

At the Court at *Brighton*, the 30th day of *January* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent having been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint His Grace Charles Duke of Richmond to be Lord Lieutenant of the county of Sussex, His Grace, this day, took the oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy.

Carlton-House, January 31, 1816.

This day Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, received the Prince Regent's commands, in consequence of His Royal Highness's detention at Brighton, to accept from the Marquis D'Osmond the letter of credence, by which His Excellency is ap-

appointed Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Most Christian Majesty at this Court.

On the same day Lord Castlereagh also received from His Excellency the Duke de la Châtre his letters of recall.

Their Excellencies will have their audiences of reception and leave respectively, on His Royal Highness's return to London.

Whitehall, February 3, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to present the Reverend William Greene, Bachelor of Arts, to the Rectory of St. Olave's, in the borough of Southwark, in the county of Surrey, and diocese of Winchester, void by the death of the last incumbent.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to present the Reverend Stuart Corbett, Master of Arts, to the Rectory of Serangham, in the county and diocese of York, void by the death of Doctor ——— Zouch.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to present the Reverend Cuthbert Henley to the Rectory of Rendlesham, in the county of Suffolk, and diocese of Norwich, void by the death of the last incumbent.

Whitehall, January 19, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Rogers Tayler, of Gosport, in the county of Southampton, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

White-

Whitehall, February 3, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Ashton Nicolas Every Mosley, of Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Alexander Singleton, of Poulton in the Filde, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 10, 1816.

Foreign-Office, February 10, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint James Buchanan, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at New York.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint William Dawson, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul in the State of Maryland.

Whitehall, February 9, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Bickerton Williams, of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 13, 1816.

At the Court at *Brighton*, the 12th day of *February* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for the Year 1816.

Bedfordshire,	Henry Brandreth, of Houghton Regis, Esq.
Berkshire,	Richard Powlett Wrighte Benyon, of Englefield, Esq.
Buckinghamshire,	Thomas Tyringham Bernard, of Nether Winchendon, Esq.
Camb' & Hunt'	John Whitby Quintin, of Hatley Saint George, Esq.
Cheshire,	Samuel Aldersey, of Aldersey, Esq.
Cumberland,	William Brown, of Tallantire-Hall, Esq.
Derbyshire,	John Peel, of the Pastures, Esq.
Devonshire,	Sir Arthur Chichester, of Youlston, Bart.
Dorsetshire,	John Herbert Browne, of Weymouth, Esq.

Essex,

Essex,	Nicholas Pearce, of Loughton, Esq.
Gloucestershire,	Daniel John Niblett, of Harefield, Esq.
Herefordshire,	Kingsmill Evans, of the Hill, Esq.
Hertfordshire,	Daniel Giles, of Youngsbury, Esq.
Kent,	Alexander Evelyn, of Saint Clere, Esq.
Leicestershire,	Charles William Pochin, of Barkby, Esq.
Lincolnshire,	Nevile King, of Ashby, Esq.
Monmouthshire,	Sir Henry Protheroe, of Llantarnam-Abbey, Knt.
Norfolk,	Siggismund Trafford Southwell, of Wroxham, Esq.
Northamptonshire,	Sir James Langham, of Cottisbrooke, Bart.
Northumberland,	Matthew Bell, of Woolsington, Esq.
Nottinghamshire,	Sir Robert Howe Bromley, of East Stoke, Bart.
Oxfordshire,	John Phillips, of Culham, Esq.
Rutlandshire,	John Cole Gilson, of Burley, Esq.
Shropshire,	Sir Thomas John Tyrwhitt Jones, of Stanley, Bart.
Somersetshire,	John Goodford, of Yeovil, Esq.
Staffordshire,	John Smith, of Great Fenton, Esq.
County of Southampton,	John Morant, of Brockenhurst, Esq.

Suffolk,

Suffolk,	Sir Charles Blois, of Cockfield-Hall, Bart.
Surrey,	Benjamin Barnard, of Ham-Common, Esq.
Sussex,	John Ingram, of Rottingdean, Esq.
Warwickshire,	William Holbeche, of Farnborough, Esq.
Wiltshire,	John Hussey, of New Sarum, Esq.
Worcestershire,	Joseph Lea, of the Hill, Esq.
Yorkshire,	Richard Oliver Gascoigne, of Parlington, Esq.

SOUTH WALES.

Carmarthen,	John Colby, of Pennywern, Esq.
Pembroke,	Henry Mathias, of Fern-Hill, Esq.
Cardigan,	Thomas Lloyd, of Coedmore, Esq.
Glamorgan,	Henry John Grant, of Gnoll-Castle, Esq.
Brecon,	Edward Kendal, of Dan y Park, Esq.
Radnor,	Sir Harford Jones, of Boultibrook, Bart.

NORTH WALES.

Merioneth,	Thomas Duckenfield Ashley, of Cwmllecoidiog, Esq.
Carnarvon,	Thomas Burrow, of Benarth, Esq.

Anglesey,	Robert Bulkeley, of Gronant, Esq.
Montgomery,	Thomas Watkin Youde, of Cloghfan, Esq.
Denbigh,	Edward Edwards, of Cerrig Llwydion, Esq.
Flint,	George Boscawen, of Marford, Esq.

PRINCE OF WALES'S COUNCIL.

AT a Council of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, held at the Pavilion at Brighthelmstone, on the 1st day of February 1816, Sir Arscott Ourry Molesworth, of Pencarrow, in the county of Cornwall, Bart. was appointed Sheriff of the said county of Cornwall for the present year, by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales in Council.

At the Court at *Brighton*, the 12th of *February* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS the time limited by the Order of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council of the twentieth day of July last, for prohibiting the exportation out of this kingdom, or carrying coastwise, gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, will expire on the thirteenth day of this instant February; and whereas it is judged expedient, that the said prohibition, so far as applies to the countries here-

hereinafter named, should be continued for some time longer; His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, doth, therefore, hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no person or persons whatsoever (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's service) do, at any time during the space of six months (to commence from the said thirteenth day of February instant), presume to transport any gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, to any port or place on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on any part of the Continent of America (except to a port or place, or ports or places, in His Majesty's territories or possessions on the Continent of North America, or in the territories of the United States of America), or ship or lade any gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, on board any ship or vessel, in order to transporting the same into any such ports or places on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on the Continent of America (except as above excepted), without leave or permission in that behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to "prohibit the exportation of salt-petre, and to "enforce the law for empowering His Majesty "to prohibit the exportation of gunpowder, or "any sort of arms or ammunition, and also to "empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying "coastwise of salt-petre, gunpowder, or any sort "of arms or ammunition;" and also by an Act, passed in the thirty-third year of His Majesty's reign, cap. 2, intituled "An Act to enable His

" Majesty to restrain the exportation of naval " stores, and more effectually to prevent the ex- " portation of salt-petre, arms, and ammunition, " when prohibited by Proclamation or Order in " Council:" But it is His Royal Highness's pleasure, that nothing in this Order contained shall be construed to alter or repeal the Order in Council of the twentieth of May one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, for regulating the export of gunpowder and arms to the coast of Africa, under the conditions therein specified. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain. *J. Buller.*

Downing-Street, February 13, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint Major-General Sir Frederick Phillips Robinson, K. C. B. to be Governor of the Island of Tobago.

Major-General George William Ramsay to be Governor of the Islands of Antigua and Montserrat.

Thomas Probyn, Esq. to be Governor of the Islands of St. Christopher, Nevis, and the Virgin Islands.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 17, 1816.

At the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 14th of *February* 1816,

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the forty-fifth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled "An "Act for making further provisions for the "effectual performance of quarantine," it is, amongst other things, enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for the Lords and others of His Majesty's Privy Council, or any three or more of them, to make such Order as they shall see necessary and expedient upon any unforeseen emergency, or in any particular case or cases with respect to any ship or ships, vessel or vessels arriving and having any infectious disease or distemper on board, or on board of which any infectious disease or distemper may have appeared in the course of the voyage, or arriving under any other alarming or suspicious circumstances as to infection, although such ship or ships, vessel or vessels, shall not have come from any place or places from which His Majesty, His heirs or successors, by and with the advice of His or Their Privy Council, may have adjudged and declared it probable that the plague or any such infectious disease or distemper may be brought, and also with respect to the persons, goods, wares, and merchandise on board the same;

and all such Orders so made by the Lords and others of the Privy Council, or any three or more of them as aforesaid, shall be as good, valid, and effectual to all intents and purposes (as well with respect to the Commander, Master, or other person having the charge of any such ship or vessel, and all other persons on board the same, as with respect to any other persons having any intercourse or communication with them, and to the penalties, forfeitures, and punishments to which they may respectively become liable) as any Order or Orders made by His Majesty, His heirs or successors, by and with the advice of His or Their Privy Council concerning quarantine, and the prevention of infection as aforesaid, and notified by Proclamation, or published in the London Gazette:

And whereas advices have been received that the plague has made its appearance at Noya and along the Coast of the Adriatic, and at Corfu and the territories contiguous to Fiume, and in the Peninsula of Istria, and it appearing by such advices, that all vessels from suspected places have been forced to quit the Neapolitan harbours, and will in all probability take shelter in French or Spanish ports where they will evade the quarantine laws; it is thereupon ordered in Council, that all ships or vessels coming from and through the Mediterranean, within the Streights of Gibraltar (although furnished with clean bills of health), shall, on arrival at any of the ports of the United Kingdom, be treated as vessels arriving with suspected bills; and shall be subject to all the rules, regulations, and restrictions, pains, penalties, forfeitures, and punishments contained in His Majesty's Order in Council, bearing date the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and five, with respect to vessels arriving with suspected bills of health: And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for ex-

executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, His Majesty's Secretary at War, and the Governors or Commanders in Chief for the time being of the Isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, are to give the necessary directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain. *Jas. Buller.*

War-Office, December 11, 1815.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, has been pleased to approve of the 50th Regiment, and the 1st Battalion of the 71st Regiment, being permitted to bear on their colours and appointments (in addition to any badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to those regiments), the word *Almaraz*, in commemoration of the gallantry and good conduct evinced by that corps at the storming of Almaraz, in Spain, on the 19th May 1812.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased to approve of the 3d Regiment of Hussars of the King's German Legion being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments (in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to that regiment), the word *Peninsula*, in consideration of the services of that corps in Portugal and Spain, during the years 1808 and 1809.

War-

War-Office, January 27, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 49th (or the Hertfordshire) Regiment, being in future styled the 49th *(or Princess Charlotte of Wales's Regiment) retaining its County Title;* and of the Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments (in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment) the word "*Queenstown,*" in commemoration of the very distinguished gallantry displayed by the flank companies of that Regiment, at Queenstown, in Upper Canada, on 13th October 1812, under the command of the late Major-General Sir Isaac Brock, who fell on that occasion.

War-Office, February 1, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 57th (or West Middlesex Regiment) being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments (in addition to any other badges or devices, which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment) the word, "*Albuera,*" in consideration of the distinguished gallantry of that Regiment in the battle of Albuera on the 16th May 1811, as particularly noticed in the public dispatch of Lieutenant-General Lord Beresford to Field-Marshal the Duke of Wellington, dated Albuera, 18th May 1811.

Down-

Downing-Street, February 17, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Major-General Thomas Reid to be Governor of the Island of Grenada and its dependencies.

Foreign-Office, February 17, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Patrick Savage, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul in the State of Virginia.

Brighthelmstone, February 9, 1816.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint John Leach, Esq. one of His Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, to be His Royal Highness's Chancellor, and Keeper of His Royal Highness's Great Seal.

Brighthelmstone, February 14, 1816.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint William Draper Best, Esq. one of His Majesty's Serjeants learned in the Law, to be His Royal Highness's Attorney General; and William Harrison, Esq. Barrister at Law, to be His Royal Highness's Solicitor General.

Whitehall, February 17, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Henry William Lovett, Esq. to be one of His Majesty's Commissioners of Hackney Coaches, vice James Grant, Esq. deceased.

Crown-Office, February 17, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Town and Port of Winchelsea.

The Right Honourable Henry Vane, commonly called Lord Viscount Barnard, in the room of Calverley Bewicke, Esq. deceased.

Town and Port of Seaford.

Sir Charles Cockerell, Bart. in the room of John Leach, Esq. who has accepted the chiltern hundreds.

Borough of Corfe Castle.

George Bankes, Esq. in the room of Peter William Baker, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 20, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 19, 1816.

ORDERS for the Court's going into mourning, on Thursday next the 22d instant, for Her late Royal Highness Caroline Louisa, daughter of His Royal Highness the reigning Grand Duke of Saxe Weimar, and consort of His Royal Highness the Hereditary Grand Duke of Mecklenburg Schwerin, cousin german to Her Majesty, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, fringed or plain linen, white gloves, necklaces and ear-rings, black or white shoes, fans and tippets.

Undress—White or grey lustrings, tabbies or damasks.

The Gentlemen to wear black, full trimmed, fringed or plain linen, black swords and buckles.

Undress—Grey frocks.

The Court to change the mourning on Sunday the 25th instant, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk or velvet, coloured ribbons, fans and tippets, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waiscoats, full trimmed, coloured swords and buckles.

And on Thursday the 29th instant, the Court to go out of mourning.

Whitehall, February 19, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the Reverend James Webber, Master of Arts, the place and dignity of a Prebendary of the Collegiate Church of St. Peter, Westminster, void by the resignation of Doctor John Ireland.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased to present the Reverend Alexander Hill to the church and parish of Dailby, in the presbytery and county of Ayr, void by the death of the Reverend Charles Cunningham.

Foreign-Office, February 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the Sieur Séguier as His Most Christian Majesty's Consul-General in London.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. James Luke as Consul at Belfast for the United States of America.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 24, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, February 22, 1816.

The Prince Regent has been pleased to appoint Charles Bankhead, M.D. Master of Arts, of Lower Grosvenor-Street, to be Physician Extraordinary to His Royal Highness.

The Prince Regent has also been pleased to appoint James Perchard Tupper, Esq. Member of the College of Surgeons, Fellow of the Linnean Society, to be Surgeon Extraordinary to His Royal Highness.

Crown-Office, February 24, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Weobley.

The Right Honourable Frederick Cavendish Bentinck, commonly called Lord Frederick Cavendish Bentinck, in the room of the Honourable William Lennox Bathurst, who has accepted the office of one of the Deputy Tellers of His Majesty's Exchequer.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 27, 1816.

Westminster, February 26, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to revive and continue, until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, several laws relating to the duties on glass made in Great Britain.

An Act to revive and further continue, until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, an Act of the seventh year of King George the Second, for the free importation of cochineal and indigo.

And one private Act.

Crown-

Crown-Office, February 26, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Wicklow.

The Honourable Granville Levison Proby, in the room of William Hoare Hume, Esq. deceased.

Borough of Calne.

James Macdonald, Esq. of East Sheen, in the county of Surrey, in the room of Joseph Jekyll, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Whitehall, February 27, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Candler, of Tadcaster, in the county of York, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 2, 1816.

Crown-Office, March 2, 1816.

DAYS and places appointed for holding the Lent Assizes 1816, viz.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

Lord *Ellenborough*, Lord Chief Justice.
Mr. Baron *Wood*.

Buckinghamshire, Saturday, March 2, at Aylesbury.
Bedfordshire, Wednesday, March 6, at Bedford.
Huntingdonshire, Saturday, March 9, at Huntingdon.
Cambridgeshire, Tuesday, March 12, at Cambridge.
Norfolk, Saturday, March 16, at Thetford.
Suffolk, Thursday, March 21, at Bury Saint Edmund's.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Sir *Vicary Gibbs*, Knt. Lord Chief Justice.
Mr. Baron *Richards*.

Northamptonshire, Saturday, March 2, at Northampton.
Rutlandshire, Friday, March 8, at Oakham.
Lincolnshire, Saturday, March 9, at the Castle of Lincoln.
City of Lincoln, The same day, at the City of Lincoln.
Nottinghamshire, Friday, March 15, at Nottingham.
Town of Nottingham, The same day, at the Town of Nottingham.

Der-

Derbyshire, Wednesday, March 20, at Derby.
Leicestershire, Tuesday, March 26, at the Castle of Leicester.
Borough of Leicester, The same day, at the Borough of Leicester.
City of Coventry, Monday, April 1, at the City of Coventry.
Warwickshire, The same day, at Warwick.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Sir *Alexander Thomson*, Knt. Lord Chief Baron.
Mr. Justice *Le Blanc*.

City of York, and County of the same City, Saturday, March 9, at the Guildhall of the said City.
Yorkshire, The same day, at the Castle of York.
Lancashire, Saturday, March 23, at the Castle of Lancaster.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Graham*.
Mr. Justice *Park*.

Southampton, Monday, March 4, at the Castle of Winchester.
Wiltshire, Saturday, March 9, at New Sarum.
Dorsetshire, Thursday, March 14, at Dorchester.
Devonshire, Monday, March 18, at the Castle of Exeter.
City and County of Exeter, The same day, at the Guildhall of the City of Exeter.
Cornwall, Monday, March 25, at Launceston.
Somersetshire, Saturday, March 30, at the Castle of Taunton.

HOME CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Bayley*.
Mr. Justice *Abbott*.

Hertfordshire, Thursday, March 7, at Hertford.
Essex, Monday, March 11, at Chelmsford.

Kent, Monday, March 18, at Maidstone.
Sussex, Monday, March 25, at Horsham.
Surrey, Thursday, March 28, at Kingston-upon-Thames.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Dallas*.
Mr. Justice *Holroyd*.

Berkshire, Monday, March 4, at Reading.
Oxfordshire, Wednesday, March 6, at Oxford.
Worcestershire, Saturday, March 9, at Worcester.
City of Worcester, The same day, at the City of Worcester.
Staffordshire, Thursday, March 14, at Stafford.
Shropshire, Wednesday, March 20, at Shrewsbury.
Herefordshire, Monday, March 25, at Hereford.
Monmouthshire, Saturday, March 30, at Monmouth.
Gloucestershire, Wednesday, April 3, at Gloucester.
City of Gloucester, The same day, at the City of Gloucester.

CHESTER CIRCUIT.

Sir *William Garrow*, Knt. Chief Justice.
Francis Burton, Esq. Second Justice.

Montgomeryshire, Saturday, March 30, at Welsh Pool.
Denbighshire, Friday, April 5, at Ruthin.
Flintshire, Thursday, April 11, at Mold.
Cheshire, Wednesday, April 17, at the Castle of Chester.

NORTH WALES CIRCUIT.

Hugh Leycester, Esq.
William Kenrick, Esq.

Anglesey, Saturday, March 30, at Beaumaris.
Carnarvonshire, Friday, April 5, at Carnarvon.
Merionethshire, Thursday, April 11, at Bala.

BRE-

BRECON CIRCUIT.

The Honourable *George Hardinge.*
Abel Moysey, Esq.

Cardiff, Tuesday, April 9.
Brecon, Tuesday, April 16.
Presteigne, Monday, April 22.

CARMARTHEN CIRCUIT.

Samuel Heywood, Serjeant at Law.
John Balguy, Esq.

Cardigan, Wednesday, April 10.
Haverfordwest, Tuesday, April 16.
Carmarthen, Monday, April 22.

Whitehall, February 29, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Francis Norwood, of Ashford, in the county of Kent, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall; March 1, 1816.

Whereas it has been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that on the night of Friday the 9th or morning of Saturday the 10th of last month, the Custom-House at Greenock was broken into, and a sum exceeding one thousand pounds sterling of public money stolen therefrom;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the person or persons concerned in the above mentioned robbery, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them who shall discover his,

her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of TWO HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered by the Collector of the Customs of Greenock, to any person or persons who will give such information to him, to the Comptroller of the said Customs, or to the Procurator Fiscal of the town of Greenock, as may lead to the apprehension and conviction of the person or persons who have committed the said robbery.

Whitehall, March 2, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, during the night of the 29th ultimo, a barn, belonging to Mr. Michael Fisher, Farmer, of the parish of Terrington St. Clements, in the county of Norfolk, containing a very large quantity of dressed flax, was discovered to be on fire, and that the same, together with the adjoining stables, were entirely consumed, and the said town was stated in imminent danger of being burnt; and that there is every reason to suppose that such barn was wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-minded person or persons;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said barn), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And,

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the inhabitants of the said parish to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended aud convicted as aforesaid.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 5, 1816.

Westminster, March 4, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for continuing to His Majesty certain duties

duties on malt, sugar, tobacco, and snuff, in Great Britain, and on pensions, offices, and personal estates in England, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act for raising the sum of eleven millions by Exchequer Bills, for the service of Great Britain for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act to extend the powers of an Act, of the thirty-seventh year of His present Majesty, for enabling His Majesty more effectually to grant conditional pardons to persons under sentence of Naval Courts Martial; and to regulate imprisonment under such sentences.

And one private Act.

Crown-Office, March 5, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Stafford.

The Right Honourable George Granville Leveson Gower, commonly called Earl Gower.

St. James's, March 5, 1816.

The Lord Chamberlain has appointed James Selway, Esq. of Upper Mary-le-bone-Street, Portland-Place, to be Chemist Extraordinary to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 9, 1816.

Crown-Office, March 9, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Cockermouth.

John Henry Lowther, of Swillington, in the county of York, Esq. in the room of Augustus John Foster, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Borough of Portarlington.

Richard Sharp, of Mark-Lane, in the city of London, Esq. in the room of Arthur Shakespeare, Esq. who has accepted the office of Steward of His Majesty's Manor of East Hendred, in the county of Berks.

Borough of Yarmouth.

John Leslie Foster, of Collon, in the county of Louth, Esq. in the room of Sir Henry Conyngham Montgomery, Bart. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Whitehall, March 9, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to present the Reverend Rowland Hill, Master of Arts, to the Rectory of Delamere, in the county and diocese of Chester.

White-

Whitehall, March 8, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Samuel Yates, of Drayton in Hales, in the county of Salop, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 12, 1816.

At the Court at *Brighton*, the 9th day of *March* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to appoint Richard John Hill, of Plymouth-Lodge, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Glamorgan, in the room of Henry John Grant, of Gnoll-Castle, Esq.

John Davies, of Fron-haulog, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Merioneth, in the room of Thomas Duckenfield Ashley, of Cwmllecoidig, Esq.

John Price, of Plas Llanfallog, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Anglesey, in the room of Robert Bulkeley, of Gronant, Esq.

John Arthur Lloyd, of Domgay, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Montgomery, in the room of Thomas Watkin Youde, of Cloghfan, Esq.

And

And John Salusbury Piozzi Salusbury, of Bryn Bella, Esq. to be Sheriff of the county of Flint, in the room of George Boscawen, of Marford, Esq.

And His Royal Highness was pleased to make the following amendments upon the roll:

Sussex,	John Ingram, Esq. made James Ingram, Esq.
Warwickshire,	William Holbeche, of Farnborough, Esq. made William Holbech, of Farmborough, Esq.
Carnarvon,	Thomas Burrow, of Benarth, Esq. made Thomas Burrowes, of Benarth, Esq.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 16, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, March 15, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at the Queen's-Palace, on Thursday next the 21st instant, at two o'clock.

Whitehall, March 1, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the appointment of Henry Thomas Howard Molyneux, Esq. one of the Representatives in Parliament for the city of Glou-

ester, brother to the Most Noble Bernard Edward Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshal and Hereditary Marshal of England, to be Deputy Earl Marshal of England.

Whitehall, March 16, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Earl of Chichester and the Marquess of Salisbury to the Office of Post-master-General.

Crown-Office, March 16, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of West Looe.

The Honourable Henry William Fitzgerald De Roos, of Boyle-Farm, in the county of Surrey, in the room of Charles Buller, Esq. who has accepted the office of Steward of His Majesty's Manor of East Hendred, in the county of Berks.

Charles Hulse, of Breamore, in the county of Southampton, Esq. in the room of Antony Buller, Esq. who has accepted the office of one of His Majesty's Justices at Bombay.

City of Carlisle.

John Christian Curwen, Esq. in the room of Henry Fawcett, Esq. deceased.

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Whitehall, March 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Ashe à Court, late Adjutant-General of His Majesty's Forces serving in Sicily, and Major in the Greek Light Infantry Regiment, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Commander of the Royal Sicilian Military Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, and the insignia of the Royal Piedmontese Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazare, which their Majesties the King of the Two Sicilies and the King of Sardinia have been respectively pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of the sense which those Sovereigns entertain of the distinguished services rendered by him at the period of the landing of the French division in Sicily, and at the reduction of Genoa; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 15, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Joseph Foster, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 19, 1816.

Whitehall, March 16, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint Admiral the Right Honourable Edward Baron Exmouth, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be a Knight Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Military Order, in the room of Admiral the Right Honourable Samuel Viscount Hood, deceased.

War-Office, March 2, 1816.

As the 3d Battalion of the 14th Regiment bore a part in the memorable battle of Waterloo, and on that occasion received the Prince Regent's gracious permission to bear on its colours and appointments the word "*Waterloo,*" and as that Battalion has been reduced, and the men are to be transferred to the 1st and 2d Battalions, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 1st and 2d Battalions of the 14th Regiment being permitted to bear on their colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Waterloo,*" in commemoration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by the 3d Battalion in the action on the 18th June 1815.

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Whitehall, March 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto George Duncan Robertson, Esq. Colonel in the Army, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Sicilian Regiment of Foot, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the Cross of the Imperial Austrian Order of Leopold, which His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Austria has conferred upon him, in testimony of His approbation of the distinguished services rendered by him while commanding the British troops acting in co-operation with the Imperial forces, at the siege and capture of Trieste, and other operations in Italy, during the campaigns of 1813 and 1814; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration, be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto John Duff Markland, Esq. Post Captain in the Royal Navy, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that

that he may accept and wear the cross of the Imperial Austrian Order of Leopold, which His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Austria has conferred upon that Officer, in testimony of his approbation of the distinguished services rendered by him at the siege and capture of Trieste, and the other operations in Italy during the campaigns of 1813 and 1814; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege, appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Westby Perceval, Esq. Post Captain in the Royal Navy, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the Cross of the Imperial Austrian Order of Leopold, which His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Austria has conferred upon that officer, in testimony of His approbation of the distinguished services rendered by him at the siege and capture of Trieste, and the other operations in Italy, during the campaigns of 1813 and 1814; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Lieutenant John Turner Flin, of the Royal Navy, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of the Little Cross of the Royal Sicilian Order of Saint Ferdinand and of Merit, which His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies hath been pleased to confer on that Officer, in testimony of the signal intrepidity displayed by him in action with the enemy off the coast of Sicily; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown-Office, March 16, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Lewes.

Sir John Shelley, of Maresfield-Park, in the county of Sussex, Bart. in the room of Thomas Read Kemp, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Shire of Sutherland.

George Macpherson Grant, of Ballindalloch and Invereshie, Esq. in the room of James MacDonald, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Borough of Minehead.

Henry Fownes Luttrell, of Dunster-Castle, in the county of Somerset, Esq. in the room of John Fownes Luttrell the elder, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 23, 1816.

Westminster, March 22, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do*

do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, and amend an Act of the forty-eighth year of His present Majesty, for impowering the Governor and Company of the Bank of England to advance the sum of three millions towards the supply for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and eight.

An Act for punishing mutiny and desertion, and for the better payment of the army and their quarters.

An Act for the regulating of His Majesty's royal marine forces while on shore.

An Act for charging certain duties on foreign packets or passage-vessels, entering or departing any of the Ports of Great Britain.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, an Act of the forty-ninth year of His present Majesty for regulating the trade and commerce to and from the Cape of Good Hope.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, an Act of the fifty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for explaining and amending several Acts relating to spiritual persons holding of farms, and for enforcing the residence of such persons on their benefices in England.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of two

Acts of His present Majesty for repairing the road from Chapel on the Heath, in the county of Oxford, to Bourton on the Hill, in the County of Gloucester.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of an Act of His present Majesty for repairing the road from Saint Martin, Stamford-Baron, to Kettering, and from Oundle to Middleton-Lane, in the county of Northampton.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of two Acts of His present Majesty, so far as the same relate to the road from Carter's-Bridge, in the parish of Chatteris, within the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, to the Forty-Feet-Bridge, in the Parish of Ramsey, in the county of Huntingdon.

And two private Acts.

Queen's-Palace, March 21, 1816.

This day John Quincy Adams, Esq. Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of America, had his first private audience of Her Majesty; to which he was introduced by the Earl of Morton, Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Foreign-Office, March 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint John Davidson, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul for the town and district of New Orleans.

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Whitehall, March 11, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto William Charles Fahie, Esq. Post Captain in the Royal Navy, Colonel of the Portsmouth Division of His Majesty's Royal Marine Forces, and Companion o the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Commander of the Royal Sicilian Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, which His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies has been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of His royal regard and esteem and of the distinguished services rendered by him while commanding the British squadron (acting in co-operation with the Austrian forces) at the reduction of Gaeta; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 11, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto James Campbell, Esq. Colonel in the Army, Lieutenant-Colonel of the 94th Regiment of Foot, and Companion of

the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has honoured him, in testimony of the high sense which that Prince entertains of the distinguished courage and intrepidity displayed by that Officer in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 11, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Watson, of the 1st Portuguese Cavalry, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has honoured him, in testimony of the high sense which that Prince entertains of the distinguished courage and intrepidity displayed by that Officer in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise,

thorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 26, 1816.

Crown-Office, March 25, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Shire of Haddington.

Sir James Suttie, Bart. of Balgone, in the room of the Honourable Charles Hope, who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Whitehall, March 16, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was pleased, on the 4th day of December last, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Hugh Gough, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel of His Majesty's 87th (or Prince of Wales's Own Irish) Regiment of Foot, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Knight of the Royal and Distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third;

And being desirous of conferring upon the said

Sir Hugh Gough such a further mark of His Majesty's royal favour as may, in an especial manner, evince the sense His Royal Highness entertains of the highly distinguished services of that Officer, throughout the splendid achievements of His Majesty's arms in the Peninsula, and more particularly the great ability and signal valour displayed by him in command of His Majesty's 87th regiment of foot, at the memorable battle of Talavera de la Reyna; at the siege of Cadiz; at the brilliant action fought on the heights of Barrosa (wherein the eagle of the 8th French regiment was captured in a charge by His Majesty's said 87th regiment); also at the siege of Tarifa (where, having the command of the east wall of the fortress, in which the enemy had made a practicable breach, he, with eight companies of the said regiment, amounting to five hundred men, repulsed eighteen hundred picked troops, by which the breach was assaulted); and his conspicuous conduct at the battles of Vittoria, the Pyrenees, and the Nivelle; His Royal Highness hath been pleased to grant unto the said Sir Hugh Gough, His Majesty's royal licence and authority that, as a lasting memorial of his faithful and zealous exertions in His Majesty's service, he and his descendants may bear the following honourable augmentation to the arms of his family, viz. "*In the centre chief point pendant from "a ribbon a representation of the badge of the "Order of Charles the Third, and on a chief within "battlements, a representation of the fortress of "*TARIFA, *with a breach between two turrets, the "British flag flying on the dexter turret;*" and the crest of augmentation following, that is to say, on a wreath "*A dexter arm embowed, the hand grasping the colours of His Majesty's said 87th regiment, and a French eagle depressed, the staff "broken;*" and in an escrol below the arms this motto "TARIFA;" provided the said armorial dis-

distinctions be first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command, that the said royal concession and especial mark of His Majesty's favour be registered in the College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 15, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Philip Keating Roche, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the British Army, and Lieutenant-General in the Spanish Service, His royal licence and authority, that he may accept and wear the supernumerary cross of the Royal and Distinguished Order of Charles the Third, and the Order of Saint Ferdinand of the third class, with which His Catholic Majesty has been pleased to honour him, in testimony of that Sovereign's approbation of the distinguished military services rendered by him in the field during the Peninsular war; and that he may enjoy all the rights and privileges thereunto annexed; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

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Whitehall, March 26, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on the night of Monday the 18th instant, some evil-disposed person or persons maliciously set fire to two stacks of wheat, the property of Mr. George Palmer, of St. Leonard's, in the parish of Town Malling, in the county of Kent;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the atrocious act above mentioned, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said stacks of wheat), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the said George Palmer, and a further reward of FIFTY POUNDS is also hereby offered, to be paid by the said parish of Town Malling, to any person (except as before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 30, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, March 29, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at the Queen's-Palace, on Thursday next the 4th of April, at two o'clock.

Westminster, March 28, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for exhibiting a Bill in this present Parliament, for naturalizing His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld;

An Act to amend an Act, of the fifty-first year

of His present Majesty, for confirming certain articles of agreement between the Company of Proprietors of the Grand Junction Canal and certain persons, for supplying with water the inhabitants of the parish of Paddington, and the parishes and streets adjacent, in the county of Middlesex.

An Act for the better assessing and collecting the poor and other parochial rates in the parish of Mitcham, in the county of Surrey.

An Act for making and maintaining a road from Dewsbury to Leeds, in the west riding of the county of York.

And one private Act.

Westminster, March 29, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for the naturalization of His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince

Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld, and settling his precedence.

An Act for taking down the parish church of Clifton, in the county of Gloucester, and for building a new church, and providing an additional cemetery for the use of the said parish.

Crown-Office, March 30, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Newport.

Jonathan Raine, of Bedford-Row, in the county of Middlesex, Esq.

Borough of Lostwithiel.

The Right Honourable William Richard Edgcumbe, commonly called Viscount Valletort, in the room of the Right Honourable Reginald Pole Carew, who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Foreign-Office, March 30, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Jasper Waring, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul for the Province and City of Valencia.

Whitehall, March 27, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Williams, of Llanfyllyn, in the county of Montgomery, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, March 29, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Cruttwell, of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 2, 1816.

Crown-Office, April 2, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Lyme Regis.

Major John Thomas Fane, of Baltonsbury, in the county of Somerset, a Major in His Majesty's De Meuron's Regiment of Foot, in the room of John Fane, Esq. commonly called Lord Burghersh, who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 6, 1816.

War-Office, April 6, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 2d Battalion of the 43d Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to that Battalion, the word "*Peninsula*," in consideration of the services of the Battalion in Portugal and Spain, during the years 1808 and 1809.

Crown-Office, April 5, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Droitwich.

William Philip Earl of Sefton, in the kingdom of Ireland, in the room of Sir Thomas Edward Winnington, Bart. who has accepted the Office of Steward of His Majesty's Manor of East Hendred, in the county of Berks.

Whitehall, April 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the Honourable and Reverend Henry Lewis Hobart, Doctor in Divinity, the Deanry of His Majesty's Chapel Royal, in the Castle of

of Windsor, with the Deanry of Wolverhampton and Registry of the Knights of the Most Noble Order of the Garter thereunto annexed, the same being void by the promotion of Doctor Edward Legge to the see of Oxford.

Kensington-Palace, March 28, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Sussex has been pleased to appoint the Reverend William Carus Wilson, A. B. to be one of His Royal Highness's Chaplains.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 9, 1816.

Queen's-Palace, April 5, 1816.

HER Majesty has been pleased to make the following appointments on the establishment of Her Household, viz.

Hugh Bisshopp, Esq. to be Gentleman Usher Daily Waiter, and

Henry Willoughby Rooke, Esq. to be Gentleman Usher Quarterly Waiter.

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Whitehall, March 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Charles Count Alten, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Lieutenant-General in the Army, also Lieutenant-General in the Hanoverian service, Commander of the Hanoverian troops serving in the Netherlands and in France, Colonel of the 1st Light Battalion of the King's German Legion, and Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of the Imperial Russian Order of Saint Anne, of the First Class, of the Royal Order of Wilhelm of the Netherlands, of the Third Class, and of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, which their Imperial and Royal Majesties the Emperor of Russia and the King of the Netherlands, and His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal, have been respectively pleased to confer upon the said Count Alten, in testimony of the high sense which they entertain of the highly distinguished intrepidity and conduct displayed by him throughout the Peninsular war, and at the memorable battles fought at Quartre Bras and Waterloo, on the 16th and 18th of June last:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's college of arms.

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Whitehall, March 16, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto William Fenwick, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Lieutenant-Governor of Pendennis-Castle, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has honoured that officer, in testimony of the high sense which that Prince entertains of the distinguished courage and intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Batchelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 16, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto William Henry Smyth, Esq. Commander in the Royal Navy, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of the Small Cross of the Royal Sicilian Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, which His Majesty the King of the

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Two Sicilies has conferred upon him, as a testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of his services, and of the valour displayed by him against the enemy off Messina, during the period in which he served in the combined fleet; provided nevertheless that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Batchelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 13, 1816.

Westminster, April 11, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither,

the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for better enabling His Majesty to make provision for the establishment of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta and His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

An Act for empowering the Governor and Company of the Bank of England to advance the sum of six millions towards the supply for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one, certain additional duties of Excise in Great Britain.

An Act to suspend, until the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and twenty, the duty on lead exported from Great Britain.

An Act to revive and continue, until two years after the expiration of the restrictions upon payments in cash by the Bank of England, an Act for suspending the operation of an Act of the seventeenth year of His present Majesty, for restraining the negociation of promissory notes and bills of exchange under a limited sum in England.

An Act to make further provision for the execution of the several Acts relating to the revenues, matters, and things under the management of the Commissioners of Customs and Port Duties, and of the Commissioners of Inland Excise and Taxes in Ireland.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, an Act of the forty-seventh year of His present Majesty, for grant-

granting an additional bounty on double refined sugar exported.

An Act to carry into effect a Convention of Commerce concluded between His Majesty and the United States of America.

An Act for better regulating the Offices of Receivers of Crown Rents.

An Act for the more effectually detaining in custody Napoleon Buonaparte.

An Act for regulating the intercourse with the Island of Saint Helena during the time Napoleon Buonaparte shall be detained there, and for indemnifying persons in the cases therein mentioned.

An Act for enlarging, improving, and repairing the parish church of Woodford, in the county of Essex, and for enlarging the church-yard or burial-ground of the said parish.

An Act for lighting with gas the city and county of the city of Exeter.

An Act to amend two Acts of His present Majesty, for erecting a bridge over the River Thames from the city of London to the opposite bank, in the county of Surrey.

An Act for altering, amending and extending the powers of two Acts of His present Majesty's reign, for supplying with water the inhabitants of the towns of Manchester and Salford, in the parish of Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act to enable Temple West, Esq. sole proprietor of the Royal Circus or Surrey Theatre, situate in the parish of Saint George, in the county of Surrey, to continue the same open for public amusement for a limited time.

An Act to provide for the repairing and maintaining of a certain part of several roads or ways leading from Woodford to Ilford, in the county of Essex, and for shutting up certain other parts of the said several roads or ways.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of an

Act of His present Majesty, for repairing and widening the road from Preston Candover to Basingstoke, and from thence to Alton, in the county of Southampton.

An Act for making and maintaining a turnpike road from the town of Nantwich to Wheelock Wharf, in the township of Sandback, in the county palatine of Chester.

An Act for making and maintaining a turnpike road from the High-Street, in the town of Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester to the boundary stone, between the parish of Warfield and the liberties of the borough of Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop.

An Act for more effectually repairing and improving the road from Stockport, in the county of Chester, to the end of Guide-Lane, in the county of Lancaster, and other roads therein mentioned in the said counties and in the county of York, and for making a new road from the said road in Bredbury to the bridge over the River Mersey, at Portwood, near the town of Stockport.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road from the twentieth mile stone on Egham-Hill, in the county of Surrey, to a place called Basingstone, near the town of Bagshot, in the parish of Windlesham, in the same county.

And eight private Acts.

Whitehall, April 13, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the Honourable and Reverend Hugh Percy, Master of Arts, the place and dignity of a Canon or Prebendary of the Metropolitical Church of Canterbury, void by the resignation of Doctor Henry Lewis Hobart.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 16, 1816.

MEMORANDUM.

War-Office, April 16, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 41st Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the words "*Detroit*," "*Queenstown*," and "*Miami*," in consideration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the capture of Fort Detroit, on the 16th August 1812; in the defeat of the Americans at Queenstown, on the 13th October 1812; and in the action near the foot of the rapids of the Miami River, on the 5th May 1813.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 20, 1816.

Crown-Office, April 20, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of East Looe.

Thomas Potter Macqueen, of Ridgmont-House, in the county of Bedford, Esq. in the room of David Vanderheyden, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Borough of Newport.

George Watson Taylor, of Saville-Row, Saint James's, Westminster, Esq. in the room of John Delgarno, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Whitehall, April 18, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Fox Wilkinson, of Clitheroe, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 23, 1816.

Carlton-House, April 20, 1816.

THIS day His Excellency the Duke de la Chartre, Ambassador from His Most Christian Majesty, had his audience of leave of the Prince Regent; and His Excellency the Marquess D'Osmond, his successor in the same character, had his first private audience of His Royal Highness:

Also the Prince de Castelcicala, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies, being deputed by His Sicilian Majesty to invest the Prince Regent with the Illustrious and Most Distinguished Orders of Saint Januarius and of Saint Ferdinand and Merit, had audience of His Royal Highness for that purpose:

Likewise the Count de Beroldengin, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Württemburg, had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, announcing the marriage of His Royal Highness the Prince Royal of Württemburg with Her Imperial Highness the Grand Duchess Catherine of Russia:

And the Baron de Just, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Saxony, had his first private audience of His Royal Highness to deliver his credentials:

To which several audiences they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign

Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, April 20, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to invest Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Tyler with the ensigns of a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

By command of the Prince Regent, Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Tyler was conducted, with the usual reverences, to His Royal Highness, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

The sword of state was thereupon delivered to the Prince Regent, and Sir Charles Tyler, kneeling, was knighted therewith, after which he had the honour to kiss His Royal Highness's hand.

Then His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, having received from the Officer of Arms the ribband and badge of a Knight Commander, was pleased to invest Sir Charles Tyler with the same.

The Vice-Admiral having again had the honour to kiss the Prince Regent's hand, and having received from His Royal Highness the star of a Knight Commander, retired.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the following Officers, Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath:

Captain Sir Michael Seymour, Bart. Royal Navy.
Colonel Sir Robert Barclay, of the East India Company's Service.

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Horse-Guards, March 19, 1816.

MEMORANDUM.

The Prince Regent has been graciously pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to command, that, in commemoration of the brilliant and decisive victory of Waterloo, a medal shall be conferred upon every Officer, Non-Commissioned Officer, and Soldier of the British Army present upon that memorable occasion.

His Royal Highness has further been pleased to command, that the ribband issued with the medal shall never be worn, but with the medal suspended to it.

By command of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent,

FREDERICK,
Commander in Chief.

H. TORRENS,
Maj. Gen. and Mil. Sec.

Whitehall, April 22, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Francis Lord Napier to be His Majesty's Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Crown-Office, April 23, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

City of Peterborough.

The Honourable William Lamb, in the room of the Right Honourable George Ponsonby, who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

County of Wicklow.

The Right Honourable George Ponsonby, one of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, in the room of William Tighe, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 27, 1816.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Sir John Hamilton, Bart. Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's Forces, Colonel of the 2d Ceylon Regiment, and Governor of Duncannon Fort, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense that Prince entertains of

of the great ability and signal intrepidity displayed by that Officer in several actions with the enemy, during the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the undermentioned Officers His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that they may respectively accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Imperial Military Orders of Maria Theresa of Austria, of St. George of Russia of the fourth class, of the Royal Bavarian Order of Maximilian Joseph, and of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, which their Imperial Majesties the Emperors of Austria and Russia, His Majesty the King of Bavaria, and the Prince Regent of Portugal have been pleased to confer upon them, in testimony of their approbation of the distinguished conduct and intrepidity displayed by these Officers throughout the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula, and at the memorable battle of Waterloo:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the respective royal concessions and declarations be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Sir Colin Campbell, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Colonel in the Army, Captain in the Coldstream Regiment of Foot Guards, Assistant Quarter-

Master-General of His Majesty's Forces, and Aide-de-Camp to Field-Marshal His Grace the Duke of Wellington.

Lord Fitzroy Somerset, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Colonel in the Army, Extra Aide-de-Camp to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, Captain in the 1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, and Military Secretary to His Grace the Duke of Wellington.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Sir James M'Gregor, Knight, Doctor of Medicine, and Director-General of the Medical Department of His Majesty's Land Forces, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Order of the Tower and Sword, which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to confer upon the said Sir James M'Gregor, in testimony of the sense that Prince entertains of his great merit and of his services in the field during the recent campaigns in the Peninsula:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that they may respectively accept and wear the insignia of Honorary Knights Commanders of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to confer upon them, in testimony of the high sense that Prince entertains of the great ability and signal intrepidity displayed by those Officers in several actions with the enemy, during the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege, appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the respective royal concessions and declarations be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

George Allan Madden, Esq. Colonel in the Army, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and a Major-General in the Portuguese Service.

John Buchan, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and a Major-General in the Portuguese Service.

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Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Sir Ulysses Burgh, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Captain in the 1st or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, and Aide-de-Camp to Field-Marshal His Grace the Duke of Wellington, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to honour him with, in testimony of the high sense which that Prince entertains of the great courage and intrepidity displayed by that Officer in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration, be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers in the Army, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that they may respectively accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to honour those Officers, in testimony of the high sense that Prince enter-

entertains of the signal intrepidity displayed by them in several actions with the enemy, during the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the respective royal concessions and declarations be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Sir Edmund Keynton Williams, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and Colonel of the 14th Regiment of Portuguese Infantry.

Sir Maxwell Grant, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and Colonel of the 6th Regiment of Portuguese Infantry.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Alexander Tulloh, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Royal Artillery, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Portuguese Armies, commanding the Field Brigades of Artillery in that Service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to honour him, in testimony of the high sense that Prince entertains of the signal intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy during the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not

not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, April 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto John Shearman, Esq. late a Captain in the 60th Regiment of Foot, now a Captain in the 13th Regiment of Foot, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of the Military Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazare, with which His Sardinian Majesty has honoured that Officer, in consideration of his services in the field while Brigade-Major of the Italian Levy; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, April 24, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Chrees, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 30, 1816.

Carlton-House, April 29, 1816.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, City Officers, and Common Council of the City of London, waited upon the Prince Regent, at Carlton-House, with the two following Addresses; which were read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The dutiful and loyal Address and Petition of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly approach your Royal Highness with renewed expressions of attachment to your Royal Person and Family; and at the same time to express the deep sorrow and affliction we feel at the intelligence received of the persecution and sufferings of the Protestants in the South of France.

Among the glorious and virtuous causes for which our ancestors have struggled and bled, in no instance have their exertions been more successful, nor their success more dear to us, than in the over-

throw of that fabric of superstition, bigotry, and tyranny, by which the human mind had been so long enthralled, and in the establishment of that sacred principle, which confirms to every man the right to worship his Creator according to the dictates of his own conscience.

Having claimed and acted upon this principle for ourselves, and feeling that it is an inherent right, equally appertaining to every individual of every nation, we have learnt with no less grief than abhorrence, that the spirit of intolerance had again broken out, and that our Protestant brethren in the South of France have suffered the most cruel and atrocious persecution, whereby their places of worship have been closed, their property pillaged and destroyed, and numerous lives have been sacrificed.

That although we deprecate any interference in the internal concerns of other nations, we cannot regard a friendly interposition for the prevention of atrocities so disgraceful to humanity, as a violation of that principle, much less so under the relative and peculiar circumstances of both countries.

For recollecting that it has been in an eminent degree by British valour, British treasure, and British blood, that the late changes in the Government of France have been effected; and that the avowed object of our immense sacrifices was no less to rescue the people of France from tyranny and oppression, than to afford peace to surrounding States; and bearing in mind that by the Constitutional Charter the King of France guaranteed full and perfect religious liberty; and that your Royal Highness has in the Treaty concluded with His Majesty's Allies at Paris, in November last, expressed your conviction, "that the repose of Europe is essentially interwoven with the confirmation of things founded on the maintenance of the Royal Authority and of the Constitutional Charter,"

Charter," we cannot but feel, that under these circumstances and such solemn engagements, the character and honour of this country loudly demand, that we should, in the most decisive and energetic terms, protest against these dreadful enormities which have so long been committed.

It is therefore with feelings of the deepest regret, that we perceive the bright prospect of peace, freedom, and happiness so suddenly overcast. Scarcely had His Majesty Louis the Eighteenth resumed the reins of Government, than ferocious and bigotted persons, under pretence of superior loyalty and more pure religion, commenced a furious attack upon their fellow subjects; and those persons, whose only offence was their difference in religious opinion, and who had ever been employed in diffusing light and knowledge among them, were the first victims of their cruelty and superstition.

Under circumstances so distressing, feeling with gratitude the high degree of religious liberty we enjoy, purchased and sealed with the blood of our forefathers, confirmed and established at the glorious revolution of 1688, we should be unworthy of such advantages were we not, in the most solemn and earnest manner, to entreat your Royal Highness to exert your utmost influence to suppress that unhappy spirit of persecution which has lately manifested itself, alike contrary to the Constitutional Charter of France and those enlightened principles of toleration entertained by your Royal Highness.

We, therefore, humbly pray your Royal Highness will be pleased to adopt such measures as may best tend to suppress these enormous evils.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address and Petition His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

"The just sense entertained by His Majesty's subjects of the value and importance of religious toleration, is necessarily calculated to excite in their minds strong feelings of uneasiness and regret at any appearance of the want of it in other nations of the world.

"In such feelings, when called for and justified by the occasion, I shall ever participate; and whilst I lament the circumstances which led to your Address, I derive great satisfaction from the persuasion, that they are in no degree to be attributed to an indisposition on the part of the Government of France, to afford to the freedom of religious worship the benefit of its promised protection and support."

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble, loyal, and dutiful Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and faithful subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly approach your Royal Highness with renewed expressions of loyalty to our beloved Sovereign, and of zealous attachment to your Royal Highness's Person and to the illustrious House of Brunswick.

We beg leave to offer to your Royal Highness our heartfelt congratulations, that the unparalleled ex-

exertions of our Country and of our Allies have, under the signal favour of Divine Providence, enabled your Royal Highness, by the Treaties recently concluded at Paris with His Most Christian Majesty the King of France, to put an end to the miseries and calamities inseparable from a state of hostility, and so speedily to restore to the people of these realms the inestimable blessings of an honourable peace.

We have felt, in common with the rest of His Majesty's subjects, the imperious necessity which called for the exertions of the whole British people against a Power which threatened the independence and tranquillity of every neighbouring State; and we have viewed with feelings of the warmest admiration, that character of intrepidity, heroism, and moderation which has uniformly distinguished the British arms, and which in the late ever-memorable campaign, has recalled to the recollection of Europe the proudest achievements of our ancestors.

We trust that the experience of the late dreadful calamities will not be lost, and that during a long period of tranquillity it will be universally felt, that the true greatness of Princes, and the real happiness of Nations, are only to be secured by a steady adherence to justice and moderation, and to those sacred principles of a rational and well regulated liberty, to which Great Britain, under the illustrious House of Brunswick, has been indebted for the prosperity and the glory of her empire.

We congratulate your Royal Highness on the conclusion of a Treaty which holds out to humanity, by a solemn pledge of the Great Powers of Europe, the prospect of a speedy and entire abolition of the African slave trade; affords security for the repayment of a part of the expenditure occasioned by the late renewal of hostilities, and for the discharge of the just claims of British subjects on the

the Government of France; and provides, by a series of precautions, justified by necessity and dictated by experience, for the future safety and repose of Europe.

Whilst we feel grateful to Divine Providence for these distinguished benefits, and for the exalted rank which the moral, political, and military character of our country has attained, we are not insensible to the difficulties and embarrassments which are, as we trust, the temporary though painful result of a return to a state of things, interrupted by so long a period of exertion and of warfare.

For the removal of these difficulties we rely with confidence upon the wisdom and firmness of your Royal Highness and of Parliament, and upon the energy and resources of the British empire; and we trust that such steps will be taken as, by a speedy and necessary reduction of every branch of the public expenditure, as far as (after the late glorious successes) the safety of the nation will admit, and by a steady perseverance in the reduction during peace of the national debt, may afford to your Royal Highness the means of strengthening the public credit, and the grateful opportunity of alleviating the burthens of a generous and loyal people.

That your Royal Highness may long live in the hearts and affections of a free, prosperous, and united nation, is the ardent prayer of His Majesty's faithful subjects the Citizens of London.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

" I thank you for this loyal and dutiful Address.

" I accept with great satisfaction your con-

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gratulations upon the conclusion of peace, on terms honourable and advantageous to this country and to Europe. It may justly be regarded as the adequate result of a victory which, under Divine Providence, is chiefly to be ascribed to the unparalleled exertions of British valour, and as the well-earned reward of that characteristic fortitude and public spirit which was so eminently displayed by all classes of His Majesty's subjects, on the recurrence of hostilities."

They were all received very graciously, and had the honour of kissing the hand of His Royal Highness.

After which His Royal Highness was pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Thomas Bell, Esq. one of the Sheriffs.

The Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Count William Linsingen to be one of His Royal Highness's Equerries on the Establishment of His Royal Highness's Household.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 4, 1816.

Carlton-House, Thursday, May 2, 1816.

THIS evening at nine o'clock the solemnity of the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta, daughter of His Royal Highness George Augustus Frederick Prince of Wales, Regent of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld, was performed in the Great Crimson Room at Carlton-House by His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury, in the presence of Her Majesty the Queen, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, their Royal Highnesses the Dukes of York, Clarence, and Kent, their Royal Highnesses the Princesses Augusta, Sophia, Elizabeth, and Mary, Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York, Her Highness the Princess Sophia of Gloucester, their Serene Highnesses the Duke and Mademoiselle D'Orleans, the Duke of Bourbon, the Great Officers of State, the Ambassadors and Ministers from Foreign States, the Officers of the Household of Her Majesty the Queen, of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, and of the younger branches of the Royal Family, assisting at the ceremony.

At the conclusion of the marriage service, the registry of the marriage was attested with the usual formalities, after which Her Majesty the Queen, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, the Bride and

and Bridegroom with the rest of the Royal Family retired to the Royal Closet.

The Bride and Bridegroom soon after left Carlton-House for Oatlands, the seat of His Royal Highness the Duke of York.

Her Majesty the Queen, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent and the rest of the Royal Family, passed into the Great Council Chamber, where the Great Officers, Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other persons of distinction present, paid their compliments on the occasion.

Immediately after the conclusion of the marriage, the Park and Tower guns were fired, and the evening concluded with other public demonstrations of joy throughout the Metropolis.

Extract of a Dispatch from His Excellency Lord Stewart, G. C. B His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Austria, dated Rome, April 12, 1816.

It is with much pain I announce to your Lordship the death, on the 7th instant, of Her Majesty the Empress of Austria, a Princess whose virtues and amiable qualities endeared Her to all who knew Her, and rendered Her an object of adoration to Her subjects.

Carlton-House, April 30, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable Lord Grenville, Chancellor of the University of Oxford; Reverend Dr. Lee, President of Trinity College, Vice-Chancellor; Reverend Dr. Cole, Rector of Exeter College; Reverend Dr. Landon, Provost of Worcester College; Reverend Dr. Vaughan, Warden of Merton College; Reverend Dr. Nares, D. D. of

Merton College, Regius Professor of Modern History; Joseph Phillimore, L. L. D. of Christ Church, Regius Professor of Civil Law; ——— Ashhurst, L. L. D. of All Souls College; Sir C. Pegge, Knight, of Christ Church, Regius Professor of Medicine; Dr. Latham, M. D. of Brazenose College; Reverend Charles Wrottesley, Fellow of All Souls College, Junior Proctor; Reverend Walter Levitt, Student of Christ Church, Principal Proctor; Reverend Edward Rowden, A. M. of Merton College; Reverend Mr. Cardwell, A. M. Fellow of Brazenose College; Reverend Mr. Rose, A. M. Fellow of Lincoln College; Reverend Mr. Stephens, A. M. Fellow of Brazenose College; Reverend Francis Rowden, A. M. Fellow of New College, being the Delegates appointed by the University to attend on this occasion; accompanied by His Royal Highness the Duke of York, His Grace the Archbishop of York, Marquesses of Titchfield and Carmarthen, Earls Delaware, Temple, and Belfast; Bishops of London, Carlisle, and Oxford, Right Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons, Right Honourable the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Right Honourable Sir William Scott, Right Honourable Sir John Nicholl, John Fane, Esq M. P. Henry Ashhurst, Esq. M. P. Griffith Wynne, Esq. and several other Noblemen and Gentlemen who were educated at the University, waited upon His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to present to His Royal Highness the following Address:

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Oxford, beg leave with all humility to congratulate your Royal Highness on the re-establishment of peace, particularly with that nation whose revolutionary convulsions, and inordinate

ordinate ambition, were the scourge or the terror of the civilized world.

Short indeed has been the interval since we were permitted to approach your Royal Highness on an occasion in some respects similar. But the joy and the hope, which we then expressed, were suddenly succeeded by grief and alarm. The Monarch so recently placed on the throne of his ancestors was again driven into exile; and Europe was to be saved from the return of rapine and desolation by the arms of Great Britain and her magnanimous Allies.

Through the favour of Heaven this has been triumphantly accomplished; chiefly by an army under the direction of a British Commander, in which the unparalleled bravery of British soldiers was every where sustained by his presence, and animated by his example.

In the preparations which led to the last decisive victory, we recognise the wisdom, promptitude, and energy of your Royal Highness's counsels.

May the Almighty prosper, by His blessing, the means which have been employed to secure the advantages thus gloriously acquired.

May the exalted satisfaction, with which your Royal Highness must contemplate your co-operation with the Allied Powers for the permanent tranquillity of Europe, long continue undiminished.

In particular, may your Royal Highness behold the people, whom you have successfully governed in war, great, happy, and loyal in peace. Strenuously to promote this object is not more our duty than our wish. It will therefore be our constant endeavour to impress upon the youth committed to our care, the lessons of ancient wisdom; and above all, those Christian principles, which are the only sure foundation of public and private virtue. In a more especial manner we shall labour to inculcate on them obedience to civil authority, not merely as a so-

a social, but as a religious obligation, that they may pass from studious retirement to the offices of active life, cherishing with still warmer attachment the Constitution, which, under Divine Providence, has been our safeguard in all our perils, and gratefully stedfast in their allegiance to the Illustrious House of Brunswick, by whom that Constitution has ever been zealously maintained.

Given at our House of Convocation, under our common seal, this 13th day of February, in the year of our Lord 1816.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

" I thank you for this loyal and dutiful Address.

" At that important conjuncture, when Europe was threatened with a renewal of the calamities, from which it had been recently relieved, there could be no doubt on my part, and on that of His Majesty's Allies, of the course which it was proper to pursue.

" The result has been a war of unexampled success and glory, and a peace highly honourable to this country, and to our Allies.

" I receive with great satisfaction the declaration of your sentiments upon this important occasion; and, in viewing the eminent situation in which this favoured country is thus happily placed, I feel with exultation and gratitude, that, under the protection of a gracious Providence, it is chiefly to be ascribed to the valour and discipline of His Majesty's troops, and to the loyalty and fortitude of His people.

" The cultivation and improvement of the advantages arising from the present state of public tranquillity, will be the object of my constant and anxious attention; and, I am confident, that you will

will zealously persevere in the exemplary discharge of your momentous duties, by instilling into the minds of those committed to your care that attachment to the laws and constitution of their country, and those principles of useful knowledge and of religion, which are equally conducive to the best interests of individuals, and to the dignity and prosperity of the State."

Carlton-House, April 30, 1816.

This day the Address of the University of Cambridge, congratulating His Royal Highness the Prince Regent on the re-establishment of peace, was presented by the following Gentlemen, Delegates from the University: the Caput; the Reverend Doctor Kaye, Vice Chancellor, Master of Christ's College; the Reverend Dr. Chafy, D. D., Master of Sidney College; Sir Isaac Pennington, M. D. Regius Professor of Physic; the Reverend Daniel Clarke, L L. D. Professor of Mineralogy; the Reverend Joseph Shaw, M. A. Senior Proctor; the Reverend Robert Jefferson, M. A. Junior Proctor; the Reverend S. B. Vince, M. A. King's College, Senior Non Regent; the Reverend George Heggitt, M. A. of Christ's College, Senior Regent; the Reverend Ralph Tatham, M. A. Public Orator; John Beverley, M. A. Henry Gunning, M. A. Esquires, Bedells.

There was also a numerous attendance of Noblemen and Gentlemen, educated at the University; amongst whom were, the Earl of Westmorland, the Earl of Liverpool, Viscount Sidmouth, the Right Honourable Charles Bathurst, the Bishops of Salisbury, Ely, Chester, Gloucester, Worcester, and Exeter; J. H. Smith, Esq. one of the Representatives in Parliament for the University; John Beckett, Esq. Under Secretary of State; Doctors Browning, Bat-

Batten, Gardner, Territt, and Ainslie; the Reverend Messrs. G. F. Blomberg, J. Stanier Clarke, George D'Oyly, W. Antrobus, G. F. Taval, Sheepshanks, Hollingworth, Woodhouse, Lacon, &c. &c. &c.

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address of the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge, beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with our sincere congratulations on the restoration of peace to our country and to Europe.

The period which has elapsed since your Royal Highness was called to administer the Government of this mighty Empire, has been distinguished not more by the magnitude of the events which have taken place, than by the unexampled rapidity with which they have succeeded each other—the revolutions of centuries have been crowded into the narrow space of a few years. Yet, throughout this eventful period, it has been your Royal Highness's happy lot to see the blessing of Providence uniformly attendant on the measures adopted against the common enemy; to witness the successive triumphs of His Majesty's arms, and the still increasing glories of the British name. Even the last daring enterprise of the Disturber of Europe, which for a while threw a gloom over our prospects, and threatened to involve us in new difficulties and new dangers, has served only to display more clearly the vigour and firmness of your Royal Highness's counsels,

sels, and to raise another and more illustrious trophy to British skill and British valour.

The splendid victory, achieved at Waterloo by His Majesty's forces, in conjunction with those of His Allies, has led to that desired result which is the only legitimate object of victory—the establishment of an honourable peace. On so happy an occasion, when gladness must necessarily be diffused over all classes of His Majesty's subjects, we more especially feel it our duty to express to your Royal Highness the joy and gratitude of our hearts. Devoted to the study of that holy religion which proclaims and inculcates peace on earth; engaged in the cultivation of those liberal sciences which flourish most in seasons of public tranquillity, we regard with peculiar exultation an event at once so congenial to our feelings, and so auspicious to the cause of learning—a cause which we know to be of incalculable moment to the well-being of this great Empire—a cause in the support of which we are prompted alike by duty and by affection to put forth all our efforts.

That the peace, which, under Providence, has been procured to us by the wisdom and energy of your Royal Highness's counsels, and by the skill and intrepidity of His Majesty's forces, may be of long continuance; and that your Royal Highness may live long to witness its beneficial influence in the growing wealth and happiness of a loyal and united people, is the earnest prayer of His Majesty's dutiful and faithful University.

Given under our common seal, the 9th day of February 1816.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

" I thank you for this loyal and dutiful Address.

" The renewed danger with which Europe was threatened at the commencement of the last year, demanded renewed exertions on the part of His Majesty, and of His Allies; and, by the blessing of Divine Providence, those exertions have been rewarded with victory and peace.

" I receive with great satisfaction your congratulations on these glorious and important events; and, in contemplating them, I deeply feel what is so eminently due to the valour and discipline of His Majesty's troops, to the transcendant abilities of their illustrious leader, and to the loyalty, zeal, and fortitude which, under circumstances the most trying, have been displayed by all classes of His Majesty's subjects.

" It will be the object of my constant endeavour to cherish and improve all the means of our national prosperity; and I rely with confidence on the continuance of your efforts in securing and strengthening its foundation, by encouraging in those, whose best interests are entrusted to your charge, that earnest desire of useful knowledge, and those sentiments of attachment to our happy Constitution, and of reverence for our holy religion, upon the prevalence of which, the reputation, strength, and real welfare of the British empire must essentially depend."

Queen's-Palace, April 30, 1816.

This day His Excellency the Marquess D'Osmond, Ambassador from His Most Christian Majesty; and the Baron de Just, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Saxony, had their first private audiences of Her Majesty; to which they were respectively introduced by the Earl of Morton, Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Queen's-Palace, May 1, 1816.

This day the Count de Beroldinger, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Würtemburg, had a private audience of Her Majesty, to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, announcing the marriage of His Royal Highness the Prince Royal of Würtemburg with Her Imperial Highness the Grand Dutchess Catherine of Russia, to which he was introduced by Edward Disbrowe, Esq. Her Majesty's Vice-Chamberlain, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Westminster, April 30, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses,*

do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for charging certain duties on the importation of butter.

An Act for charging certain duties on the importation of cheese.

An Act to amend several laws relative to the transportation of offenders, to continue in force until the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one.

An Act for erecting a new gaol and court-house in the Burgh of Ayr, in the shire of Ayr.

And two private Acts.

Crown-Office, May 4, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Carlow.

Robert La Touche, of Bally Williamro, in the county of Carlow, in the room of David La Touche, Esq. deceased.

Foreign-Office, May 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. Joseph Garland, jun.

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as Consul at Poole, for the King of the Netherlands.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. John Rudolph Bourtard as Vice-Consul in London, for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. Nathaniel G. Ingraham, jun. as Consul at Plymouth, for the United States of America.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 7, 1816.

Carlton-House, April 29, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Thomas Bell, Esq. one of the Sheriffs of the City of London.

Carlton-House, April 30, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on George Cooper, Esq.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 2, 1816.

The Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Thomas Mills to be one of His Majesty's Chaplains in Ordinary.

Foreign-Office, May 7, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint John Hall, Esq. to be Consul for the Kingdom of Hanover, in London.

Foreign-Office, May 7, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. Edward Iggulden, as Vice-Consul at Deal, and Mr. James Day, as Vice-Consul at Cowes, in the Isle of Wight, for His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies.

Whitehall, April 29, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, taking into His royal consideration the meritorious services performed by James Campbell, Esq. Colonel in the Army, and Lieutenant-Colonel of the 94th Regiment of Foot, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, in command of his regiment throughout the Mahratta War, from 1803 to 1806, more especially at the battle of Argaum, in November 1803; at the assault and capture of the

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fort of Gawil Ghur, in the same year; at the siege of Chandore, in November 1804; as also the great zeal, energy, and valour manifested by him throughout the arduous operations of His Majesty's arms in the Peninsula, and particularly at the battle of Fuentes d'Onor, on the 5th May 1811, in command of a brigade of the third division of the army, which he led to victory; at the capture of Ciudad Rodrigo, on the 19th January 1812, upon which memorable occasion he headed his own regiment, and stormed the great breach; at the assault and capture of Badajoz, on the night of the 6th of April following, when the command of the third division, by which the castle of that fortress was carried by escalade, devolved upon him; and also at the ever-memorable battles of Salamanca and Vittoria; and being desirous of bestowing upon the said Colonel James Campbell such a mark of His Majesty's royal favour, as may in an especial manner evince the sense His Royal Highness entertains of his meritorious conduct, hath been graciously pleased to give and grant unto him His Majesty's royal licence and authority, that to the armorial ensigns of his family, he and his descendants may, as a lasting memorial of his zealous exertions, bear the following honourable augmentation, that is to say, "*Pendent from the "centre chief point by a ribbon, a representation of "the gold cross presented to him by His Majesty's "royal command, for his services in the Peninsula, "and a chief, thereon a castle, and over it the "word* "BADAJOZ", *with a canton, charged with "an elephant, and the word* "ARGAUM," and for an additional crest, "*A demi lion, supporting the "colours of the 94th Regiment of Foot;*" provided the said armorial distinctions be first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office, otherwise His Majesty's said

said licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command, that the said royal concession and especial mark of His Majesty's favour be registered in the College of Arms.

Whitehall, May 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Robert John Harvey, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and late of the Portuguese Staff, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to honour him, in testimony of the high sense that Prince entertains of the signal intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy during the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

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Whitehall, May 6, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Peter Fernhead, of Nottingham, in the county of Nottingham, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 7, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on the night of the 3d instant, a barn, belonging to Mr. Grigby, at Drinkston, near Woolpit, in the county of Suffolk, was wilfully set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said barn), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the said Mr. Grigby to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 11, 1816.

India-Board, Whitehall, May 9, 1816.

A DISPATCH, dated Calcutta, the 10th of December 1815, of which the following is an extract, has been this day received at the East India-House from General the Earl of Moira, K. G. Governor General and Commander in Chief of the British Territories in India:

"The possibility that a ship, now about to sail, may reach England before our regular dispatches, would render it an improper omission, did I not offer you by her my congratulations on the close of the Gorkha war. The Treaty, without modification of any of the articles which I thought myself bound to prescribe, has been signed by the Gorkha Negociators, and was yesterday ratified in Council."

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 10, 1816.

Notice is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will hold a Levee at Carlton-House, on Tuesday next the 14th instant, at two o'clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 10, 1816.

Notice is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at the Queen's-Palace, on Thursday next the 16th instant, at two o'clock.

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The Court will not appear in mourning on this occasion, it being a Drawing-Room to receive congratulations upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 7, 1816.

Orders for the Court's going into mourning, on Sunday next the 12th instant, for the late Empress of Austria, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, fringed or plain linen, white gloves, necklaces and ear-rings, black or white shoes, fans and tippets.

Undress—White or grey lustrings, tabbies or damasks.

The Gentlemen to wear black, full trimmed, fringed or plain linen, black swords and buckles.

Undress—Grey frocks.

The Court to change the mourning on Sunday the 26th instant, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk or velvet, coloured ribbons, fans and tippets, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waiscoats, full trimmed, coloured swords and buckles.

And on Sunday the 2d of June next, the Court to go out of mourning.

Whitehall, May 10, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Robert Viscount Melville, Sir Joseph Sydney Yorke, Knt. Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Vice-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet; Sir George Johnston Hope, Knt. Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Rear-Admiral of the Red Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet; Sir George Warrender, Bart.; John Osborn, Esq.; Barrington Pope Blachford, Esq.; and Sir Graham Moore, Knt. Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Rear-Admiral of the Red Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, to be His Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of High-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Carlton-House, April 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Antony Buller, Esq. on being appointed one of the Judges at Bengal.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Edward Foster, LL. B. and Prebendary of Wells, to be one of His Royal Highness's Domestic Chaplains.

Whitehall, April 30, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto James Walker, Esq. Post Captain in the Royal Navy, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and authority, that he may accept and wear the insignia of an Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal was pleased to honour him in the year 1808, in testimony of the high sense that Prince entertains of his great merit, and of the services rendered by him to the kingdom of Portugal; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Batchelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 14, 1816.

Whitehall, May 3, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to declare and ordain, that His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld, consort of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta, shall take, hold, and enjoy, during the term of His natural life, in all assemblies or meetings whatsoever, the precedence and rank following, that is to say, before the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord Chancellor, and all other Great Officers, and before the Dukes (other than and except the Dukes of the Blood Royal) and all other Peers of the Realm.

Carlton-House, May 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of London, waited upon His Royal Highness the Prince Regent with the following Address, which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble and loyal Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, approach the throne with the most lively sentiments of affection, to congratulate your Royal Highness on the auspicious event of the recent nuptials of your illustrious daughter the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Prince of Cobourg.

We participate with the personal feelings and the patriotic gratification which your Royal Highness must experience upon an occasion of such joy to your Royal House, and of such vital importance to the welfare and prosperity of His Majesty's subjects, inasmuch as this illustrious union affords an additional prospect (under Divine Providence) of securing to the throne of these realms the Protestant succession of their Sovereigns, for which our brave and enlightened ancestors, by the Act of Settlement at the glorious Revolution, happily provided and established the mild and paternal sway of the House of Hanover over a free, loyal, and happy people.

That a long line of Princes, firm to the reformed principles of our Constitution in Church and State, may spring from these auspicious nuptials, to continue for ages prosperity and happiness to the

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United Kingdom, is the ardent and sincere prayer of His Majesty's faithful Citizens of London.

In thus uniting with the general joy our heart-felt congratulations at the foot of the throne, we request your Royal Highness will believe, that as we can feel nothing of more consequence to the nation, than a measure thus calculated to preserve our independence, freedom, and prosperity, so we can felicitate ourselves in nothing of more genuine and pure enjoyment, than in an alliance which is of so fair a promise, and must convey solid happiness to your royal breast and every branch of your august Family.

May your Royal Highness have the felicity to behold every good consequent upon this propitious event, descend upon the amiable and royal Bride and Her illustrious Consort; and may the endearing qualitise of Her mind give the surest presage to an admiring people, of the happiness she may, in time to come, be destined to confer upon the loyal and happy subjects of the British empire.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious answer:

"I thank you for this loyal and dutiful Address.

"It is with the most cordial satisfaction that I receive your congratulations, on an event no less grateful to my personal feelings than important to the best interests of the British empire."

They were all received very graciously, and had the honour of kissing the hand of His Royal Highness.

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Queen's-House, May 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of London, waited upon Her Majesty with the following Address, which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common-Council assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, congratulate your Majesty on the recent and auspicious nuptials of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Prince of Cobourg.

We are satisfied that the dignity of Her high birth, as presumptive Heiress to the Crown of these realms, is proudly equalled by the lofty attainments and the pre-eminently amiable qualities of Her royal mind, and that the people of this happy country, the loyal subjects of our revered and venerable King, regard the graces and virtues which adorn the royal bride, as the happy presage of future blessings to the United Kingdom.

We earnestly hope, Madam, that all felicity may attend an union of such exalted promise; and that the illustrious pair may be crowned with every blessing which can ensure it.

His Majesty's faithful citizens of London have much gratification in partaking the general joy upon so distinguished an occasion, and to assure

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you, Madam, that they will be ever forward to express their firm and loyal attachment to every branch of your august family.

Signed, by order of Court,
Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to return the following answer:

"I receive your congratulations with heartfelt satisfaction; and I am highly gratified by those sentiments of duty to the King, and of attachment to the royal family, which you have expressed upon the present occasion."

They were all received very graciously, and had the honour of kissing the hand of Her Majesty.

Camelford-House, May 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of London, waited upon Her Royal Highness the Princess of Saxe Cobourg, with the following compliments of congratulation, which were read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta of Saxe Cobourg.

Madam,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, request permission to offer our warmest congratulations upon the recent and auspicious marriage of your Royal Highness with His Serene Highness the Prince of Cobourg.

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This very important union with an amiable and accomplished Prince, of a Family long distinguished for its attachment to the Protestant cause, we regard as an additional proof of the anxious care of your Royal Father, for the interests and welfare of His Majesty's subjects, and of His paternal affection for your Royal Highness.

The splendid dignity of your royal birth, as presumptive heiress to the British sceptre, creates peculiar sentiments of affection and reverence in the hearts of all His Majesty's subjects, accompanied by the full assurance and proud exultation, that the great accquirements and endearing qualities and graces of your royal mind, are so happily calculated to adorn the exalted station of your Royal Highness, and their prospects are brightened by the affectionate regard to the interests of these happy realms, which your Royal Highness, the pride and hope of Britain, has manifested by this illustrious alliance.

The Citizens of London are anxious to express the affectionate solicitude they feel, that this joyful event may be accompanied by the peculiar favour of Heaven; and that the transcendent virtues which inhabit your Royal bosom, may descend to grace a line of Princes who may be the pride of their Royal Parents and a lasting glory to the country.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Compliments of Congratulation Her Royal Highness was pleased to return the following answer:

My Lord Mayor, and Gentlemen,

"I receive your congratulations with the utmost satisfaction, and I desire you to be assured that it

will be my constant wish and endeavour to preserve the esteem of the City of London."

After which they had the honour of kissing the hand of Her Royal Highness.

Camelford-House, May 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of London, waited upon His Serene Highness the Prince of Cobourg with the following compliments of congratulation, which were read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder :

To His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saafeld, &c.

THE Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, have great joy in paying their compliments of congratulation to your Serene Highness on your safe arrival in this kingdom, and on your auspicious nuptials with the virtuous and amiable Princess Charlotte Augusta, presumptive Heiress to the Throne of these realms.

The dignity of your princely House, your high military fame, the solid endowments of your mind, the graceful qualities of your heart, demand our veneration and esteem, and afford the most cheering prospect, that an alliance thus formed will be productive of all the happiness that can attend the married state.

With the illustrious Princess, the fair promise of our isle, your Serene Highness has received all the graces and virtues which afford a pre-eminent example

ample to the daughters of Britain; the acquirements of Her royal mind, fitted to Her high station, are equalled by the engaging female softness of her character, to bless and display domestic life.

May your Serene Highness long live to partake of the blessing, and may your royal bride crown your wishes with a race of Princes inheriting your respective graces, and transmitting your names with glory to the remotest ages.

Signed, by order of Court,
Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Compliments of Congratulation His Serene Highness was pleased to return the following answer:

My Lord Mayor, and Gentlemen,

"I return you my warmest thanks for your congratulations, and for the sentiments, so favourable and so gratifying to myself, with which they are accompanied."

Crown-Office, May 14, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Town and Port of Rye.

John Maberly, of Shirley House, in the county of Surrey, Esq. in the room of Thomas Phillips Lamb, Esq. who has accepted the office of Steward of His Majesty's Manor of East Hendred, in the county of Berks.

Borough of Belfast.

Lieutenant-General John Michel, of Dowlist, county of Dorset, in the room of Sir Stephen

, Baronet, who has accepted the offi.
collector of the Customs in the Port of Belfa

Whitehall, May 14, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on Saturday the 4th instant, between the hours of eleven and twelve at night, a fire broke out in a barn belonging to Mr. Thomas Nottage, at Henham, in the county of Essex, which consumed all the outhouses and communicated to the dwelling-house; and it being supposed that the same has been wilfully and maliciously set on fire, by some evil disposed person or persons unknown;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in such atrocious act, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said premises), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of TWO HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by Mr. Thomas Nottage abovementioned.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 18, 1816.

Foreign-Office, May 18, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Lord FitzRoy Somerset to be His Majesty's Secretary of Embassy at the Court of France.

Carlton-House, May 14, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to invest Rear-Admiral Sir Philip Charles Durham with the ensigns of a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

By command of the Prince Regent, Sir Philip Charles Durham was conducted, with the usual reverences, to His Royal Highness, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

The sword of state was thereupon delivered to the Prince Regent, and Sir Philip Charles Durham, kneeling, was knighted therewith, after which he had the honour to kiss His Royal Highness's hand.

Then Field-Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of York, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order, having received from the Officer of Arms the ribband and badge of a Knight Com-

Commander, presented them to the Prince Regent, who was pleased to invest Sir Philip Charles Durham with the same.

The Rear-Admiral having again had the honour to kiss the Prince Regent's hand, and having received from His Royal Highness the star of a Knight Commander, retired.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Captain Sir Edward-William-Campbell-Rich Owen, Knight Commander of the said Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

Whitehall, May 9, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Sir Loftus William Otway, Knight, Colonel in the Army, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense that Sovereign entertains of his meritorious services against the enemy during the glorious campaigns of the British army in the Peninsula:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

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Whitehall, May 3, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Archibald Rose, Esq. Major in the Army, Captain in the 91st Regiment of Foot, and Lieutenant-Colonel in the Portuguese Service, His royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has been pleased to honour him, in testimony of the high sense that Prince entertains of the signal intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy during the recent arduous campaigns in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, May 15, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Robert Sterry Lockwood, of Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Gent to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 21, 1816.

Downing-Street, May 20, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Francis Pickmore, Esq. Vice-Admiral of the White, to be Governor and Commander in Chief of the island of Newfoundland and its dependencies.

Downing-Street, May 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Right Reverend Robert Stanser, D. D. to be Bishop of the see of Nova Scotia, in America, in the room of the Right Reverend Charles Inglis, D. D. late Bishop thereof, deceased.

Carlton-House, May 16, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the presentation of the Rectory of Tillington to the Reverend James Stanier Clarke, by the Right Honourable the Earl of Egremont.

Whitehall, May 21, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint James Craufurd Macleod, Esq. to be Conservator of the Privileges of His Majesty's Royal Boroughs in Scotland, at Campvere, &c.

Carlton-House, May 14, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on the following Gentlemen:

Charles Abbott, Esq. one of the Judges of the Court of King's Bench.

George Sowley Holroyd, Esq. one of the Judges of the Court of King's Bench.

James Allan Park, Esq. one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas.

James Burrough, Esq. one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas.

Carlton-House, May 14, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Philip Keating Roche, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the British Army, and Lieutenant-General in the service of His Catholic Majesty, Knight of St Ferdinand and of the royal and distinguished Order of Charles the Third of Spain.

Carlton-House, May 14, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on William Parker Carrol, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the British Army, and Major-General in the service of His Catholic Majesty.

Whitehall, May 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Sir William Parker Carrol, Knight, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and a Major-General in the Spanish service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense that Sovereign entertains of the highly distinguished intrepidity and meritorious services of the said Sir William Parker Carrol at the memorable battle of Tamames, and in several actions with the enemy during the Peninsular war:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown-Office, May 21, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Clifton Dartmouth Hardness.

John Bastard, of Sharpham, Esq. in the room of Edmund Pollexfen Bastard, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Borough of Warwick.

The Honourable Sir Charles Greville, Knight Companion of the Bath, of Warwick, in the room of the Right Honourable Henry Richard Greville, commonly called Lord Brooke (now Earl of Warwick).

Borough of Armagh.

Daniel Webb Webber, Esq. in the room of the Right Honourable Patrick Duigenan, LL. D. deceased.

Whitehall, May 20, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Rudge, of Minchin Hampton, in the county of Gloucester, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 21, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Alcock Dixon, of Kigbley, in the county of York, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 25, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, May 25, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will hold a Levee at Carlton-House, on Wednesday next the 29th instant, at half past two o'clock.

Westminster, May 21, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for raising the sum of two millions four hundred and seventy thousand pounds Irish currency by Treasury Bills, for the service of Ireland, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act for raising the sum of one million seven hun-

hundred thousand pounds British currency by Treasury Bills, for the service of Ireland, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act for further continuing, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, an Act of the forty-fourth year of His present Majesty, to continue the restrictions contained in the several Acts of His present Majesty on payments of cash by the Bank of England.

An Act to enable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury to issue Exchequer Bills on the credit of such aids or supplies as have been or shall be granted by Parliament, for the service of Great Britain for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act to make perpetual certain temporary or war duties of Customs on the importation into Great Britain of goods, wares, and merchandise, and to repeal so much of several Acts, passed in the forty-seventh, forty-ninth, and fifty-first years of the reign of His present Majesty, as charge any loans, made for the service of the years one thousand eight hundred and seven, one thousand eight hundred and nine, and one thousand eight hundred and eleven, upon the war duties of Customs or Excise, and to charge such loans on the duties of Customs made perpetual.

An Act to charge an additional duty on corks ready made, imported into Great Britain.

An Act for indemnifying the Commissioners of Excise in Scotland, and all persons who may have acted under their authority, in relation to certain orders issued and things done relative to certain Acts regarding the distilleries in Scotland.

An Act for the more speedy and effectual collection of the tonnage duty upon ships inwards; for empowering the Lords of the Treasury to regulate the hours of officers attendance in the port of London; and for permitting ships to commence and com-

compleat their loading of coals before the delivery of the fitters certificates.

An Act for transferring all contracts and securities entered into with or given to the Commissioners for Transports, to the Commissioners of the Navy and Victualling.

An Act to permit the importation of prunes, the produce of Germany.

An Act to repeal two Acts, passed in the reigns of King Edward the Fourth and King Richard the Third, which prohibit the importation of wrought goods, and certain other articles.

An Act to empower His Majesty to suspend the ballot or enrolment for the local militia.

An Act to reduce the number of days of muster or exercise of yeomanry and volunteer cavalry.

An Act to indemnify such persons in the United Kingdom as have omitted to qualify themselves for offices and employments, and for extending the time limited for those purposes respectively until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventeen; and to permit such persons in Great Britain, as have omitted to make and file affidavits of the execution of indentures of clerks to attornies and solicitors, to make and file the same on or before the first day of Hilary Term one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

An Act for fixing the rates of subsistence to be paid to innkeepers and others, on quartering soldiers.

An Act for the incorporation of the Highland Society of London, for the better management of the funds of the society; and for rendering its exertions more extensive and beneficial to the public.

An Act for preventing frauds in the admeasurement and delivery of coals within the several parishes in the county of Middlesex lying between the parish of Saint Luke, Chelsea, and the mouth

of the River Colne, near Staines, and also between Limehouse-Hole and the mouth of the River Lee, near Blackwall, and also within the several parishes in the counties of Middlesex and Essex adjoining to both banks of the River Lee, and the branches thereof, between the River Thames and Edmonton.

An Act for amending and enlarging the powers of two Acts of His present Majesty, for constructing an harbour at Porthleven, in Mount's-Bay, in the county of Cornwall.

An Act to enlarge, amend, and render more effectual the provisions of an Act of His present Majesty, for paving and lighting the city of Hereford, and removing nuisances therein; and for enabling the Corporation of the said city to sell and apply the produce of certain messuages and lands in establishing market-places, and otherwise improving the said city.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of an Act of His present Majesty, for building a church in and for the parish of Newry, in the counties of Down and Armah.

An Act for paving, lighting, cleansing, and otherwise improving the town of West Cowes, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, and for establishing a market within the said town.

An Act for paving and improving the footways, and for cleansing, lighting, and watching the streets and other public passages and places in the town of Melksham, in the county of Wilts.

An Act to repeal a certain part of an Act passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act to amend an Act of His present Majesty, for establishing a ferry across the River Thames at Woolwich, in the county of Kent."

An Act for repairing and altering the parish church of Saint George the Martyr, in the county of

of Middlesex; and for making further provision for the Rector of the said parish.

An Act for making and maintaining a railway or tram-road from Peak Forest to Beard, and from Peak Forest aforesaid to or near to Woodlands, all in the county of Derby.

An Act for making and maintaining a road from near Gatton-Lodge, in the county of Surrey, to Povey-Cross, in the said county.

An Act for continuing the term and altering and enlarging the powers of an Act of the fortieth year of His present Majesty, for improving the roads leading from the town of Leominster, in the county of Hereford.

An Act for repairing and improving the road from the Lyme turnpike road, in the parish of Gittisham, to Sidmouth, in the county of Devon.

An Act to rectify a mistake in an Act of the fifty-third year of His present Majesty, for repairing the road from Bowes, in the county of York, to join the Great North Road near Sunderland Bridge, in the county of Durham.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road leading from Farnborough, in the county of Kent, to Riverhill, in the parish of Sevenoaks, in the said county.

And eleven private Acts.

Carlton-House, May 21, 1816.

This day the Address of the University of Cambridge, congratulating His Royal Highness the Prince Regent on the nuptials of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales and His Serene Highness Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, was presented by His Highness the Duke of Gloucester, K.G. Chancellor of the University, at-

attended by the following Gentlemen, Delegates from the University: the Caput—the Reverend John Kaye, D. D. Master of Christ's College; Thomas Harrison, Esq. Commissary of the University; the Reverend William Chafy, D. D. Master of Sidney Sussex College; Thomas Ingle, Med. D. Fellow of Peterhouse; the Reverend Edward Daniel Clarke, LL. D. Jesus College, Professor of Mineralogy; the Reverend S. B. Vince, M. A. King's, Senior Non Regent; the Reverend George Haggitt, M. A. Christ's, Senior Regent; the Reverend Mr. Walter, of St. John's Colleget; the Reverend Ralph Tatham, M. A. St. John's, Public Orator; the Reverend Joseph Shaw, M. A. Christ's, Senior Proctor; the Reverend Robert Jefferson, M. A. Sidney, Junior Proctor; the Reverend W. A. Pemberton, B. D. Registrary; the Reverend Joseph Procter, D. D. Master of Catharine Hall; the Reverend Martin Davy, D. D. Master of Caius College; the Reverend James Wood, D. D. Master of St. John's College; the Reverend William Webb, D. D. Master of Clare Hall; Thomas Le Blanc LL. D. Master of Trinity Hall; William Frere M. A. Master of Downing College; the Reverend Herbert Marsh, D. D. Margaret, Professor of Divinity.

There was also a very numerous attendance of Noblemen and Gentlemen educated at the University, amongst whom were the Marquess of Lansdowne, Viscount Weymouth, Viscount Palmerston and John Henry Smyth, Esq. Representatives in Parliament for the University; Earls Spencer, Westmoreland, Harrowby, Percy, Compton, Clive, and Denbigh; Lord John Townshend; Archbishop of Cashel; Bishops of Bangor, Exeter, Salisbury, St. Asaph, Chester, Hereford, and Clogher; Deans of Cork and Chester; Doctors Browning, Sutton, Heslop, Gardner, Strong, England, Gordon (Dean of Lincoln), Burnaby, Burney, Curry, Geldart (Regius

Professor of Law), John Compton, Chambers, Cope, and Williams; Right Honourable Messrs. Villiers, Shore, and Primrose; Sir James Fellows, Sir Thomas Little, J. Beckett, Esq. Under Secretary of State, Reverend F. W. Blomberg, Reverend J. Stanier Clarke, Reverend Mr. D'Oyley, Serjeants Praed and Copley, Professor Christian, Reverend Mr. Hustler, Reverend Mr. Fisher, Reverend Mr. Buckland, Reverend Mr. Bridge, Reverend Mr. Boston, Dr. England, Mr. Calton, &c.

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Cambridge, beg leave to express to your Royal Highness our sincere congratulations on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg.

Distinguished as the University of Cambridge has been by many and splendid marks of the munificence of your royal ancestors, we cannot but take a lively interest in every circumstance which may, even remotely, concern the welfare of your Royal Highness's family. It is, therefore, with singular pleasure that we regard an event which must be peculiarly grateful to the feelings of your Royal Highness, both as a Father and as a Prince. Most joyfully do we hail an alliance which opens so bright a prospect of happiness to your Royal Daughter, and of prosperity to your people.

Independently of the many virtues which adorn the exalted personage whom, with paternal care and provident attention to the public good, your Royal Highness has selected as the husband of your daughter,

daughter, the illustrious House from which he springs must of itself ensure to him the affections of the British nation. In welcoming a Prince of Saxony to our shores, our minds naturally revert to the early period of our history—to the origin of our envied Constitution—to that line of Monarchs, who, by wise laws and salutary institutions, formed the British character, and thereby laid, under Divine Providence, the foundation of all our glory and all our greatness.

Deeply sensible of the blessings which we have derived from our admirable Constitution, as it has been administered by the Princes of the illustrious House of Brunswick, we shall ever feel it our bounden duty strenuously to maintain, in the venerable seats of learning in which we reside, the soundest principles of loyalty and obedience; to inculcate sentiments of affection for the system of civil and religious Government established in this kingdom, and of respectful attachment to your Royal Highness's person and family.

May the auspicious union, on which we now beg leave to offer our humble congratulations, prove a never-failing source of domestic happiness and public exultation; and may your Royal Highness, in witnessing the blessings which attend it, receive the just reward of all your paternal care, and experience the purest satisfaction which the human heart can know.

Given under our common seal, the 15th May 1816.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

"I return you my warmest thanks for this dutiful and affectionate Address.

"It is highly gratifying to me to receive such a

testimony of your feelings upon an occasion which has opened the fairest prospect of increased happiness to the Royal Family, and of additional security to the best and dearest interests of the nation.

" The University of Cambridge may be assured of my constant regard and protection, to which it is justly entitled by the zealous and firm attachment which it has ever manifested to that established system of civil and religious Government, on the maintenance of which the welfare and prosperity of our country must, under the favour of a gracious Providence, essentially depend."

At the Court at Carlton-House, May 23, 1816.

CEREMONIAL *of the Investiture of General His Serene Highness Prince Leopold George Frederick of Saxe Cobourg, and of the Knighthood and Investiture of Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir John Abercromby, with the Ensigns of Knights Grand Crosses of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.*

THE Knights Grand Crosses and the Officers of the Order, attending in their mantles, collars, &c. proceeded into the presence of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in the following order:

The Gentleman Usher of the Order, in his mantle, chain, and badge, bearing the scarlet rod.

The Genealogist, in his mantle, chain, and badge, bearing, for Bath King of Arms, the ribbands, badges, and stars of the Order, upon a crimson velvet cushion.

KNIGHTS

KNIGHTS GRAND CROSSES.

Lord Lynedoch.

Sir George Beckwith.

Viscount Strangford.

Sir Alexander Forrester Cochrane.

Sir John Francis Cradock.

Sir Alured Clarke.

Viscount Keith.

The Dean of Westminster, Dean of the Order, in his mantle, chain, and badge.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order.

Then, by the Prince Regent's command, General His Serene Highness Prince Leopold George Frederick of Saxe Cobourg was introduced into the presence between Sir George Beckwith and Lord Lynedoch, the two Junior Knights Grand Crosses present, preceded by the Gentleman Usher of the Order.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York, Senior Knight Grand Cross, received, thereupon, the ribband and badge from the Genealogist, and presented them to the Prince Regent, who was pleased to put the same over the right shoulder of Prince Leopold; and, His Serene Highness rising, and having kissed the Prince Regent's hand, and received from His Royal Highness the star of the Order, withdrew.

Then Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir John Abercromby was introduced with like ceremony; and, he kneeling, the sword of state was delivered to the Prince Regent by Viscount Keith, the Second Knight Grand Cross in seniority present; and His Royal Highness therewith conferred the

the honour of Knighthood upon the Lieutenant-General.

The Prince Regent was thereupon pleased to invest him with the ribband and badge; and Sir John Abercromby having kissed His Royal Highness's hand, and received the star of the Order from His Royal Highness, withdrew.

The Knights Grand Crosses being then called over by the Gentleman Usher, the procession returned in the order as before.

At the Court at Carlton-House, May 23, 1816.

A CHAPTER of the Most Noble Order of the Garter having been summoned for this day, the Knights Companions, in their mantles and collars, with the Officers of the Order hereafter mentioned, in their mantles, chains, and badges, attended His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in his own apartment soon after two o'clock; and, being called over by Black Rod (in the absence of Garter Principal King of Arms, prevented from attending by ill health), a procession was made to the Chapter-Room in the following order:

Viscount Castlereagh. Earl of Liverpool.

Duke of Montrose.

Marquess Wellesley.

Earl of Lonsdale. Marquess of Hertford.

Marquess of Stafford.

Earl of Winchilsea. Earl of Pembroke.

Duke of Beaufort.

Duke of Rutland.

Marquess Camden. Earl Spencer.

Earl of Westmorland.

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Marquess of Salisbury. Earl of Chatham.

His Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland. His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Clarence. His Royal Highness the Duke of York.

Sir Thomas Tyrwhitt, Knt. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod.

The Bishop of Salisbury, Chancellor of the Order.

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

The Prince Regent and the Knights Companions being seated, the Chancellor, standing in his place on the left hand of His Royal Highness, acquainted His Royal Highness that the Dean of Windsor, the Honourable and Reverend Doctor Henry Lewis Hobart, attended at the door of the Chapter-Room, and humbly prayed admittance to take the oath of office of Register of the Most Noble Order.

Then, by command of His Royal Highness, the Register, in his mantle, was conducted by Black Rod into the presence; Black Rod bearing (in the absence of Garter) the Register's gold chain and badge and the book upon a crimson velvet cushion; and the Register kneeling near the Prince Regent, the oath was administered to him by the Chancellor; Black Rod holding the Gospels: whereupon Black Rod, kneeling, presented to His Royal Highness the gold chain and badge, which His Royal Highness was pleased to put over the Register's neck. Black Rod then presented also the book, which the Prince Regent delivered to the Register; and the latter, having kissed His Royal Highness's hand, withdrew to his place at the bottom of the table.

The Chancellor, then, by command of His Royal Highness, read a new statute, dispensing with existing

isting statutes in as far as may be required for the especial purpose therein mentioned, and decreeing, ordaining, and enjoining that His Serene Highness Prince Leopold George Frederick of Saxe Cobourg, consort of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta, be declared elected a Knight of the said Most Noble Order.

The Chancellor, thereupon, declared to the Chapter, that the said illustrious Prince had been elected a Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

His Serene Highness was then, by the command of the Prince Regent, conducted into the Chapter-Room between the Earl of Liverpool and Viscount Castlereagh, the two Junior Knights Companions present; preceded by Black Rod, bearing (in the absence of Garter) the ensigns of the Order upon a crimson velvet cushion.

His Serene Highness kneeling near the Prince Regent, and Black Rod presenting, on his knee, the Garter, His Royal Highness, assisted by their Royal Highnesses the Dukes of York and Clarence, the two Senior Knights Companions, buckled it on His Serene Highness's left leg; the Chancellor pronouncing the admonition.

Black Rod then presented the ribband with the George; and His Royal Highness, with the assistance of the said two Senior Knights Companions, put the same over His Serene Highness's left shoulder; the Chancellor pronouncing the admonition.

His Serene Highness having kissed the hand of the Prince Regent, His Royal Highness gave him the accolade; and His Serene Highness, having severally saluted and received the congratulations of the Knights Companions, withdrew.

The Chapter ended, Black Rod, by the command of the Prince Regent, called over the Knights Companions; and a procession was made back to the pri-

private apartment of His Royal Highness in the order as before; the Register walking in his place next below the Chancellor of the Order.

Foreign-Office, May 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Earl of Clancarty, G. C. B. to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the King of the United Netherlands.

Whitehall, May 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that they may respectively accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of Portugal has honoured them, in testimony of the high sense which that Prince entertains of the distinguished courage and intrepidity displayed by those Officers in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the respective royal concessions and declarations be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Michael M'Creagh, Esq. Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and a Brigadier-General in the Portuguese Service.

William Warre, Esq. a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Captain in the 23d Regiment of Light Dragoons, and Deputy Quarter-Master-General of His Majesty's Forces at the Cape of Good Hope.

Whitehall, May 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Charles Morgan Carrol, Esq. Captain in His Majesty's 73d (Highland) Regiment of Foot, late of the 87th (or Prince of Wales's Own Irish) Regiment of Foot, and Colonel in the Spanish Service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense that Sovereign entertains of his meritorious and gallant conduct, in command of a company of the 87th Regiment in the defence of the breach of Tarifa, on the 31st of December 1811; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

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Whitehall, May 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Emanuel Thomas Poe, Esq. Captain in His Majesty's 96th Regiment of Foot, and a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Spanish Service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense that Sovereign entertains of his signal intrepidity and meritorious services in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown-Office, May 25, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Monmouth.

Granville Charles Henry Somerset, commonly called Lord Granville Charles Henry Somerset, in the room of the Honourable Arthur John Henry Somerset, commonly called Lord Arthur Somerset, deceased.

County of Devon.

Edmund Pollexfen Bastard, of Sharpham, in the county of Devon, Esq. in the room of John Pollexfen Bastard, Esq. deceased.

Whitehall, May 25, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Richard Fearnhead Rawlinson, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, May 25, 1816.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that a great number of persons have, for some time past, unlawfully assembled themselves together in divers parts of the counties of Norfolk, Suffolk, Huntingdon, and Cambridge, and have circulated threatening letters and incendiary hand bills; held nightly meetings; and set fire to several dwelling-houses, barns, out-buildings, and stacks of corn; and have destroyed cattle, corn, threshing-machines, and other instruments of husbandry:

His Royal Highness, seeing the mischievous consequences which must inevitably ensue, as well to the peace of the kingdom as to the lives and property of His Majesty's subjects, from such illegal and dangerous proceedings, if not speedily suppressed, and being firmly resolved to cause the laws to be put in execution for the punishment of such as offend against them, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise and declare, that any person or persons who

who shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, the authors, abetters, or perpetrators of any of the felonies or outrages above-mentioned, so that they, or any of them, may be duly convicted thereof, shall be entitled to the sum of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS for each and every person who shall be convicted of any of the aforesaid felonies.

And His Royal Highness is further pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His most gracious pardon to any person or persons concerned in the violent and illegal proceedings in question, upon making such discovery as aforesaid, except any person who shall have been a principal in the commission of any of the felonious offences above-mentioned.

The said reward of One Hundred Pounds to be paid by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury. SIDMOUTH.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 28, 1816.

Foreign-Office, May 28, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. Thomas Stooks as His Danish Majesty's Consul at Gibraltar.

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ERRATUM in the Gazette of Tuesday the 12th of September 1815.

In the notification announcing the royal grant of honourable augmentation to the family arms of the late Major-General Robert Ross, it should have been stated that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent had been pleased to give and grant His Majesty's permission that Elizabeth Catherine Ross, the widow and relict of the said Major-General, and his descendants respectively, should thenceforward be called "*Ross of Bladensberg*."

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 1, 1816.

Carlton-House, May 29, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Henry Mathias, Esq. High Sheriff of the county of Pembroke, upon presenting an Address of Congratulation on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, and Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

White-

Whitehall, May 31, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Richard Henry Cooke, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 4, 1816.

Westminster, May 31, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to repeal the duties, allowances, and drawbacks of Excise on hard soap made in Great Britain and imported from Ireland, and to grant other

other duties, allowances, and drawbacks in lieu thereof.

An Act for making certain allowances of the duties payable on malt and beer.

An Act for defraying the charge of the pay and cloathing of the local militia in Great Britain, to the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

An Act to continue the term and enlarge the powers of several Acts, for imposing and continuing a duty of two pennies Scots, or a sixth part of a penny sterling, upon every Scots pint of ale and beer which shall be brewed for sale, brought into, tapped, or sold within the town of Borrowstownness and liberties thereof, in the county of Linlithgow, and for extending the same over the parish of Borrowstownness; for repairing the harbour of the said town; and for other purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for altering and amending several Acts, in regard to the duty of two pennies Scots upon every pint of ale and beer sold in the city of Edinburgh, and places adjacent.

An Act for enlarging the terms and powers of several Acts, for laying a duty of two pennies Scots, or one sixth part of a penny sterling, upon every pint of ale or beer vended or sold within the town of Montrose and privileges thereof; for supplying the said town with fresh water; and for other purposes therein mentioned.

An Act for amending several Acts of His present Majesty, for improving the drainage of the Middle and South Levels, part of the Great Level of the Fens called Bedford Level, and other lands therein mentioned; and for improving the navigation of the River Ouze, in the county of Norfolk, and of the several rivers communicating therewith.

An Act for building a new parish church and a parochial chapel, in the parish of Saint Pancras,

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in the county of Middlesex; and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act for building a church or chapel of ease, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act to enable the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Edinburgh, to carry into effect certain purposes in regard to the erection of a chapel at the west end of Princes-Street; and for effecting certain improvements in the neighbourhood thereof, and in other parts of the extended royalty of the said city.

An Act to alter and amend two Acts, of the fifty-third and fifty-fourth years of His present Majesty, for erecting and maintaining a new gaol and other buildings for the county and city of Edinburgh; and to alter and amend two Acts of the forty-third and forty-ninth years of His present Majesty, in regard to the statute labour of the middle district of the said county.

An Act for supplying with water the inhabitants of the town of Keighley, in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act for altering and enlarging the powers of several Acts passed for improving the port, harbour, and town of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland; and for better supplying the said town with water.

An Act for altering, amending, and explaining two Acts of His present Majesty's reign, for widening and improving the street leading from Tower-Hill to the street called Upper East Smithfield, in the county of Middlesex.

An Act for the better repairing the several roads leading into and from the city of Worcester.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of two Acts of His present Majesty, for repairing and widening the road from Aldermaston

to Basingstoke, and several other roads therein mentioned, in the counties of Berks and Southampton.

An Act for amending the road from Dudley-Hill through Beckwithshaw to Killinghall, and from Beckwithshaw to the south west corner of Harrogate Inclosures; and for making and maintaining a branch therefrom to Bradford, all in the west riding of the county of York.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of two Acts of His present Majesty, for repairing the road from Darlastone-Bridge to the most northern part of Talk-on-the-Hill, in Butt-Lane, in the county of Stafford; and also the road branching out of the said first mentioned road to Shelton-Wharf, in the said county.

An Act for altering and amending an Act of the forty-fifth year of His present Majesty, for making and maintaining a road leading from the limits of the counties of Edinburgh and Lanark into the burgh of Lanark, with a branch towards Ravenstruthen, in the county of Lanark.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of several Acts, so far as the same relate to the roads from Birmingham, through Wednesbury to High-Bullen, and other roads therein mentioned, in the counties of Warwick, Worcester, and Stafford.

An Act for more effectually repairing the road from Biggleswade to Alconbury-Hill, and other roads therein mentioned, in the counties of Bedford and Huntingdon.

An Act for continuing the term, and altering and enlarging the powers of several Acts passed for repairing the roads from Shrewsbury through Ellesmere, in the county of Salop, and Overton, in the county of Flint, to Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, and other roads, in the said Acts mentioned,

tioned, so far as relates to the Ellesmere district of the said roads.

And twenty private Acts.

Whitehall, June 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable George Canning, the Right Honourable Sir Robert Stewart (commonly called Viscount Castlereagh), Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, the Right Honourable Henry Earl Bathurst, and the Right Honourable Henry Viscount Sidmouth, His Majesty's three Principal Secretaries of State; the Right Honourable Robert Banks, Earl of Liverpool, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter; the Right Honourable Nicholas Vansittart, Chancellor of His Majesty's Exchequer; the Right Honourable John Baron Teignmouth; William Lowther, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Lowther); the Right Honourable John Sullivan; Henry Bathurst, Esq. (commonly called Lord Apsley); the Right Honourable Thomas Hamilton (commonly called Lord Binning); and the Right Honourable William Sturges Bourne, to be His Majesty's Commissioners for the Affairs of India.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 8, 1816.

War-Office, May 28, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 23d Regiment of Light Dragoons being permitted to bear on its standards and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Talavera,*" in consideration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the battle of Talavera, on the 27th and 28th July 1809.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 28th, or North Gloucester Regiment of Infantry, being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Albuera,*" in consideration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the Battle of Albuera, on the 16th May 1811.

Crown-Office, June 8, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Monmouth.

Henry Somerset, Esq. commonly called Marquess of Worcester.

County

County of Cardigan.

William Edward Powell, of Nantcos, in the county of Cardigan, Esq. in the room of Thomas Johnes, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 11, 1816.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 8th of *June* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Edward Thornton was, by command of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Carlton-House, May 28, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable Lord Grenville, Chancellor of the University of Oxford; Reverend Dr. Lee, President of Trinity College, Vice-Chancellor; Reverend Dr. Landon, Provost of Worcester College; Reverend Dr. Cole, Rector of Exeter College; Reverend Dr. Hughes, Principal

cipal of Jesus College; Reverend Dr. Hodson, Principal of Brazenose College; Sir Henry Halford, Bart. M. D.; Sir C. Pegge, Knt. M. D. Regius Professor of Physic; Thomas D'Oyley, LL. D. Fellow of All Souls College; Joseph Phillimore, LL. D. Regius Professor of Civil Law; Reverend Charles Wrottesley, M. A. Fellow of All Souls College, Junior Proctor; Reverend Charles Lloyd, Student of Christ Church, Pro-Proctor; Clement Cartwright, M. A. Fellow of All Souls College; Reverend H. Cotton, M. A. Student of Christ Church; Griffith Wynne, M. A. of All Souls College; Reverend John Ball, M. A. Student of Christ Church, being the Delegates appointed by the University to attend on this occasion; accompanied by His Grace the Duke of Portland, His Grace the Archbishop of York, Marquesses of Buckingham, Salisbury, Carmarthen, and Titchfield, Earls Delaware and Temple, Bishop of London, Lord Kenyon, Right Honourable the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Dean of Westminster, Right Honourable Sir William Scott, Right Honourable Sir John Nicholl, Mr. C. Williams Wynne, and several other Noblemen and Gentlemen, who were educated at the University, waited upon His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to present to His Royal Highness the following Address; which Address was read by Lord Grenville, the Chancellor of the University:

To His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Oxford, beg leave humbly to offer to your Royal Highness the expression of our heartfelt joy at the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte of Wales with a Protestant Prince, descended from an illustrious race, and dis-

distinguished by personal virtues worthy of that august Princess, who is the object of our dearest and proudest hopes.

When we reflect on the various blessings our country has derived from the mild and equitable rule of the House of Brunswick, we cannot but rejoice in an event, which, by tending to perpetuate the succession in that House, promises a continuance of the same blessings. We not only rejoice in it, as an event grateful to the paternal feelings of your Royal Highness, but we see in it also a pledge of our own happiness, an additional security to those civil rights and religious establishments, which we firmly believe to be, under Divine Providence, the foundation of all our greatness.

That the sceptre may never depart from your royal line, is our sincere and fervent prayer; and we are confident, that in this prayer we speak the wishes of all His Majesty's subjects. With them we unite in zealous and dutiful attachment to your Royal Highness, to whom we are more especially bound by repeated acts of munificience and kindness: and we hope, by the careful discharge of the trust committed to us, to prove that we are not undeserving of your Royal Highness's favour and protection.

Our constant purpose is to combine the pursuit of knowledge with the formation of that character, upon which the true glory of a kingdom must ever depend; and we are encouraged in the performance of this duty by the firm persuasion, that no offering can be more acceptable to a generous Prince, than the affection of a religious and enlightened people.

Given at our House of Convocation, this 17th day of May, in the year of our Lord 1816.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

" I return you my warmest thanks for this loyal and affectionate Address.

" It is with the utmost satisfaction that I receive your congratulations on an event, which will, I trust, be found conducive to the best interests of this country, by affording additional security to its civil rights and religious establishments, which, under the favour of Divine Providence, are the foundation of its prosperity and power, and to the support of which I am persuaded that you will ever contribute both by your precepts and example. The University of Oxford may be assured of my invariable favour and protection."

Carlton-House, June 8, 1816.

This day the Count de Beroldingen, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Württemberg, had audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to deliver his letter of recall; General De Neuffer, successor to the Count de Beroldingen in the same character, had also audience of His Royal Highness to deliver his credentials; to which they were respectively introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, May 9, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knight-

Knighthood on William Barton, Esq. Mayor of Liverpool, upon presenting an Address of Congratulation on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

Crown-Office, June 11, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Newton.

Hudson Gurney, Esq. of the city of Norwich, and of Gloucester-Place, in the county of Middlesex, in the room of Barrington Pope Blachford, Esq. deceased.

Borough of Midshall, otherwise Mitchell.

The Right Honourable Thomas Hamilton, commonly called Lord Binning.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 15, 1816.

War-Office, June 5, 1816.

THE 2d Battalion of the 59th Regiment having borne a part in the memorable campaign in the Peninsula, and in consequence received the Prince Regent's permission to bear on its colours and appointments the word Peninsula, and as that Bat-

talion has been reduced, and the men transferred to the 1st Battalion, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 59th Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Peninsula*," in commemoration of the distinguished services of the late 2d Battalion of that Regiment in Portugal, Spain, and France, under Field-Marshal the Duke of Wellington.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of the 71st Regiment of Light Infantry being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Vittoria*," in commemoration of the very distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the battle of Vittoria, on the 21st June 1813.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of the 31st (or Huntingdon) Regiment of Infantry being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which have heretofore been granted to the Regiment, the word "*Albuera*," in consideration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the battle of Albuera, on the 16th May 1811.

Crown-Office, June 15, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Milborne Port.

Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir Edward Paget, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

Borough of Buckingham.

The Honourable Hugh Fortescue, commonly called Lord Ebrington.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 18, 1816.

Crown-Office, June 18, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Liverpool.

The Right Honourable George Canning.

Borough of Gatton.

Mark Wood, of Gatton, Esq. in the room of Sir William Congreve, Bart. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 22, 1816.

Queen's-Palace, June 18, 1816.

THIS day the Count de Beroldingen, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Wurttemberg, had his audience of leave of Her Majesty; also Monsieur de Neuffer, successor to the Count de Beroldingen, in the same character, had his first private audience of Her Majesty; to which they were respectively introduced by the Earl of Morton, Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Foreign-Office, June 18, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Gibbs Crawford Antrobus, Esq. to be Secretary to His Majesty's Legation to the United States of America.

Whitehall, June 22, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to present the Reverend William Dodson, Master of Arts, to the Rectory of West Heslerton, in the county and diocese of York, void by the death of the Reverend John Foot.

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Whitehall, June 22, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Bellars, of Whittlesey, in the isle of Ely and county of Cambridge, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 25, 1816.

Westminster, June 20, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for raising the sum of thirteen millions by Exchequer bills for the service of Great Britain, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

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An Act for raising the sum of one million two hundred thousand pounds, Irish currency, by Treasury bills, for the service of Ireland, for the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act for granting to His Majesty a sum of money to be raised by lotteries.

An Act to repeal the several stamp duties in Ireland, and also several Acts for the collection and management of the said duties; and to grant new stamp duties in lieu thereof, and to make more effectual regulations for collecting and managing the said duties.

An Act for the better regulation of the Civil List.

An Act to amend and render more effectual three several Acts, passed in the forty-eighth, forty-ninth, and fifty-second years of His present Majesty, for enabling the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt to grant life annuities.

An Act to authorise the transferring stock, upon which dividends shall remain unclaimed for the space of at least ten years at the Bank of England, and also all lottery prizes or benefits, and balances of sums issued for paying the principals of stocks or annuities, which shall not have been demanded for the same period, to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt.

An Act to grant certain rates, duties, and taxes in Ireland, in respect of fire hearths, windows, male servants, horses, carriages, and dogs, in lieu of former rates, duties, and taxes; and to provide for the more effectual collection of the said rates, duties, and taxes.

An Act to reduce the duty of excise on malt made in Ireland, and certain countervailing duties and drawbacks in respect thereof.

An Act to continue, until three months after the ceasing of any restriction imposed on the Bank of Eng-

England from issuing cash in payment, the several Acts for confirming and continuing the restrictions on payments in cash by the Bank of Ireland.

An Act to amend an Act of the Parliament of Ireland, in the fortieth year of His present Majesty's reign, for granting the sum of five hundred thousand pounds for promoting inland navigation, and for other purposes therein mentioned; and to enlarge the powers vested in the directors of all works relating to inland navigation in Ireland.

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the present session of Parliament, intituled "An Act to carry into effect a Convention of Commerce concluded between His Majesty and the United States of America."

An Act to regulate the sale of farming stock taken in execution.

An Act to explain and amend an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, for the more easy assessing, collecting, and levying of county rates.

An Act to amend and render more effectual an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, for enabling spiritual persons to exchange their parsonage houses or glebe lands, and for other purposes therein mentioned.

An Act to repeal an Act, made in the fifty-first year of His present Majesty, for allowing the manufacture and use of a liquor, prepared from sugar, for colouring porter.

An Act to amend an Act, of the second year of His present Majesty, for the better relief and employment of the poor of the parish of Saint James, within the liberty of Westminster, and another Act, of the first year of King James the Second, for erecting the said parish.

An Act to enlarge the powers of an Act, passed in the twenty-second and twenty-third years of the reign of His Majesty King Charles the Second, for making the manor of Paris Garden a parish; and

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to enable the parishioners of Saint Saviour, Southwark, to raise a maintenance for Ministers, and for repairs of their church, and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act for enlarging the church-yard of the parish of Saint George the Martyr, in Southwark, in the county of Surrey, and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act to explain and amend an Act, of His present Majesty, for paving, cleansing, lighting, and otherwise improving the town of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, and for better effecting those purposes.

An Act for amending an Act, of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for inclosing lands in the townships of Crowle Eastoft and Ealand, in the parish of Crowle, in the county of Lincoln, and extending into the west riding of the county of York; and for draining or warping the said lands, and lands in the parishes of Luddington, Betton, and Addlingfleet; and for making drains in the parish of Althorpe, all in the said counties of Lincoln and York.

An Act for building a new gaol in the city of Bristol, and for other purposes.

An Act for continuing the term and altering and enlarging the powers of several Acts passed for rebuilding and repairing the piers of Bridlington, otherwise Burlington, in the East Riding of the County of York, and for granting further powers for those purposes.

An Act for amending and enlarging the provisions of an Act of the forty-ninth year of His present Majesty, for better supplying the inhabitants of the town of Rochdale and the neighbourhood with water.

An Act for building a bridge across the River Irwell from the township of Salford, in the parish of Manchester, to Strangeways, in the township of Cheet-

Cheetham, all in the county of Lancaster, and for making proper avenues thereto.

An Act for altering and enlarging the powers of two Acts of His present Majesty, for building a bridge over the River Thames from the precinct of the Savoy or near thereunto, in the county of Middlesex, to the opposite shore, and for making convenient reads and avenues to communicate therewith in the county of Surrey; and also for making a new road in lieu of part of the road or street called Narrow-Wall, in the said county of Surrey, and for making an archway over part of such new road, and for denominating the said bridge, the Waterloo bridge.

An Act for erecting an harbour for ships to the eastwood of Dunleary within the port of Dublin.

An Act for improving the port and harbour of Waterford, and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act for establishing a new church called the Church of Saint Mark, situate in the town and parish of Liverpool, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for the better relief and more effectually employing the poor of the township of Shardlow and Wilne, in the county of Derby, and the several parishes and places therein mentioned, in the said county, and in the counties of Leicester and Nottingham.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of certain Acts for repairing several roads in the counties of Worcester and Warwick, so far as relate to the road leading from the town of Bromsgrove to the town of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, and for making a more commodious road near the town of Dudley.

An Act for enlarging the term and powers of several Acts for amending the road from the end of the Town Close, in the county of the city of Nor-

wich, to the chalk pits near Thetford, in the county of Norfolk.

An Act for continuing the term and altering and enlarging the powers of several Acts of His late and present Majesty, for repairing the road from the north end of the town of Derby, in the county of Derby, to Sheffield, in the county of York, and from Duffield to Wirksworth, in the county of Derby.

An Act for making and maintaining highways, roads, bridges, and quays, and for regulating ferries in the shire of Argyle, and for altering and repairing certain military and other roads, bridges, and quays in the said shire, and in the parish of Arrochar and shire of Dumbarton.

An Act for altering and improving part of the turnpike road leading from the city of Dublin to the New Packet Harbour of Howth, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails, and for amending the several laws relating to the said road.

An Act for continuing and amending four Acts passed in the reigns of their late Majesties, King George the First and King George the Second, and of His present Majesty, for repairing the roads from Luton to Westwood-Gate, in the county of Bedford, and from Luton to Saint Albans, in the county of Hertford.

And seventeen private Acts.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 29, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, June 29, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will hold a Levee at Carlton-House, on Friday next, at two o'clock.

At the Court at *Carlton-House,* the 27th of *June* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

This day the Right Honourable Sir Henry Russell, Bart. was, by command of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent having been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Francis Marquess of Hertford, K.G. to be Lord Lieutenant of the county of Warwick, his Lordship this day took the oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the oaths of allegiance and supremacy.

By His Royal Highness the PRINCE of WALES, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, P. R.

WHEREAS His Majesty, by His Royal Proclamation, bearing date the first day of January one thousand eight hundred and one, did, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, amongst other things, appoint and declare that, with the arms or ensigns armorial of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, there should be borne, on an escocheon of pretence, the arms of His Majesty's dominions in Germany, ensigned with the electoral bonnet; and that the standard of the said United Kingdom should be the same quarterings as were therein declared to be the arms or ensigns armorial of the said United Kingdom, with the escocheon of pretence thereon, therein before described; and that the arms or ensigns armorial aforesaid should be used thenceforth, as far as conveniently might be, on all occasions wherein His Majesty's arms or ensigns armorial ought to be used: and whereas His Majesty having substituted to His antient title of Elector of the Holy Roman Empire, the title of King of Hanover, it is fit that an alteration should be made in His Majesty's arms or ensigns armorial, We have therefore thought fit, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, to appoint and declare that, instead of the arms of His Majesty's dominions in Germany, ensigned with the electoral bonnet, as directed by His Majesty's Proclamation above mentioned, there shall henceforth be used and

and borne with the arms or ensigns armorial of His Majesty's said United Kingdom, on an escocheon of pretence, the arms of His Majesty's dominions in Germany, ensigned with the Hanoverian royal crown; and that the standard of the said United Kingdom shall be the same quarterings as by His Majesty's said Proclamation were declared to be the arms or ensigns armorial of the said United Kingdom, with the escocheon of pretence, ensigned with the said Hanoverian royal crown, instead of the electoral bonnet: but, nevertheless, it is Our will and pleasure, that all such gold, silver, and copper monies, as on the day before this eighth day of this instant June were current and lawful monies of Great Britain, and all such gold, silver, and copper monies, as shall on or after this day be coined by Our authority with the like impressions, until Our will and pleasure shall be otherwise declared, shall be deemed and taken to be current and lawful monies of the said United Kingdom in Great Britain; and that all such gold, silver, and copper monies, as on the day before this eighth day of this instant June were current and lawful monies of Ireland, and all such gold and silver, and copper monies, as shall on or after this day be coined by Our authority with the like impressions, until Our will and pleasure shall be otherwise declared, shall be deemed and taken to be current and lawful monies of the said United Kingdom in Ireland; and all such monies as shall have been coined for and issued in any of the dominions of the said United Kingdom, and declared by Our Proclamation to be current and lawful money of such dominions respectively, bearing His Majesty's arms or ensigns armorial, or any part or parts thereof; and all monies which shall hereafter be coined and issued according to such Proclamation, shall continue to be lawful and current money of such dominions respectively, notwith-

withstanding such change in His Majesty's arms or armorial bearings respectively as aforesaid, until Our pleasure shall be further declared thereupon; and all and every such monies as aforesaid shall be received and taken in payment in Great Britain and Ireland respectively, and in the dominions thereunto belonging, after the date of this Proclamation, in such manner and as of the like value and denomination as the same were received and taken before the date hereof: and it is also Our will and pleasure that the several dies and marks which have been used to denote the stamp duties, and all other stamps and marks and instruments, which before the issuing of this Proclamation shall have been in actual use for any public purpose, and in which His Majesty's arms or ensigns armorial, or any parts or part thereof respectively may be expressed, shall not, by reason of this Proclamation or any thing therein contained, be changed or altered, until the same may be conveniently so changed or altered, or until Our pleasure shall be further declared thereon; but that all such dies, stamps, marks, and instruments respectively, bearing His Majesty's arms or ensigns armorial, used before this eighth day of June instant, or any parts or part of such arms or ensigns armorial, shall have the like force and effect, as the same had before the said eighth day of June instant.

Given at the Court at Carlton-House, the eighth day of June one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, in the fifty-sixth year of His Majesty's reign.

GOD save the KING.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 27th of *June* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the present session of Parliament, cap. 38, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to suspend the "ballot or enrolment for the local militia," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by any Order in Council, to direct that no ballot or enrolment for the local militia shall take place; but that such ballot and enrolment shall remain and continue suspended for the period specified in any such Order of Council, and from time to time by any like Order or Orders in Council, to continue such suspension so long as His Majesty shall deem the same expedient, any thing in any Act or Acts of Parliament to the contrary notwithstanding: And whereas it is deemed expedient that such ballot and enrolment should be suspended for the space of one year; it is ordered by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, that no ballot or enrolment for the local militia do take place from and after the date of this Order for the space of one year, but that the ballot and enrolment for the local militia do remain and continue suspended for the space of one year from the date of this Order.

Jas. Buller.

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Westminster, June 22, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to alter and amend several Acts relating to the redemption of the national debt of Ireland; and to make further provision in respect thereof.

An Act to provide for a new silver coinage, and to regulate the currency of the gold and silver coin of this realm.

An Act to continue, until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, two Acts of the fifty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for repealing the duties of Customs on madder imported into Great Britain; and for granting other duties in lieu thereof.

An Act to explain and amend the Acts for granting duties on the profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices, so far as extend to the due assessment and collection of the duties for past years; for confirming certain abatements already made of the said duties, and exempting collectors bonds from the stamp duties.

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An Act to amend an Act of the fifty-first year of His present Majesty's reign, for discharging certain arrears of quit, crown, and composition rents, in Ireland.

An Act for removing difficulties in the conviction of offenders stealing property from mines.

An Act to enable such officers, mariners, and soldiers as have been in the land or sea service, or in the marines, or in the militia, or any corps of fencible men, since the forty-second year of His Majesty's reign, to exercise trades.

An Act to repeal several Acts relating to the militia of Great Britain; and to amend other Acts relating thereto.

An Act to continue and amend so much of an Act of the forty-third year of His present Majesty's reign, for authorising the billetting and subjecting to military discipline certain yeomanry corps and officers of cavalry or infantry, as relates to such corps in Ireland.

An Act for reducing the duties payable on horses, used for the purposes therein mentioned, for two years; and for repealing the Acts granting allowances in respect of children.

An Act for amending an Act of the fifty-second year of His present Majesty, for regulating the police of the city of Edinburgh and the adjoining districts; and for other purposes relating thereto.

An Act for establishing and regulating a fund for the widows, children, and relatives of officers or persons belonging to the department of Customs in England.

An Act to regulate the General Penitentiary for Convicts, at Millbank, in the county of Middlesex.

And three private Acts.

Westminster, June 24, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for the better regulating and securing the collection of the duties on paper in Ireland; and to prevent frauds therein.

An Act to repeal the duties of customs upon the importation into the United Kingdom of rape seed and cole seed; and to grant other duties in lieu thereof.

An Act for repealing the several bounties on the exportation of refined sugar from any part of the United Kingdom, and for allowing other bounties in lieu thereof until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

An Act to repeal certain duties granted by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, for repealing the provisions of former Acts granting exclusive privileges of trade to the South Sea Company.

An Act for the purchase of certain lands, tenements, and hereditaments at Sheerness and Chatham,

ham, in the county of Kent, for the use of the navy.

An Act for more effectually repairing and maintaining the road from Borrowstounness, by the west of Linlithgow, and by Torphichen, Bathgate, and Whiteburn, to the confines of the county of Linlithgow, at or near Hollhouseburn; and for making and maintaining a certain road from Borrowstounness to the River Avon.

Westminster, June 25, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for repealing the duties of Customs on rape-seed cakes, linseed cakes, bones of cattle and other animals, and of fish, except whale fins, imported into Great Britain, and for granting other duties in lieu thereof.

An Act to enable the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy, resident on foreign stations, to grant certificates of stores or

goods which may be sold by such Officers or Commissioners at such foreign stations.

An Act to alter the period during which manufacturers of oil of vitriol are to deliver in their accounts.

An Act to render valid the judicial acts of Surrogates of Vice-Admiralty Courts abroad, during vacancies in office of Judges of such Courts.

An Act for regulating the carrying of passengers to and from the island of Newfoundland and coast of Labrador.

An Act for the better accommodation of His Majesty's packets within the harbour of Holyhead, in the island of Anglesea, and for the better regulation of the shipping therein.

An Act for the more speedy and easy recovery of small debts in the city and county of the city of Bristol, and the liberties thereof, and in the several parishes and places therein mentioned in the counties of Gloucester and Somerset.

And three private Acts.

Westminster, June 26, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of

of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for establishing an agreement with the Governor and Company of the Bank of England for advancing the sum of three millions, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act to authorise the advancing for the public service a proportion of the balance that shall remain from time to time in the Bank of England, for the payment of dividends on account of the public debt, for lottery prizes or benefits not claimed, and principals of stocks and annuities remaining unclaimed.

An Act to provide for the charge of certain additions to the public debt of Ireland, for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

An Act to make further regulations for securing the collection of the duties of Customs and Excise in Ireland, and for the importation into Ireland of American staves, and of old plate and books from Great Britain.

An Act to regulate the trade of the colonies of Demerara, Berbice, and Essequibo; to allow the importation into and exportation from such colonies of certain articles by Dutch proprietors of the European dominions of His Majesty the King of the Netherlands; and to repeal an Act of the fifty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for permitting a trade between the United Provinces and certain colonies in His Majesty's possession.

An Act to defray the charge of the pay, cloathing, and contingent expences of the disembodied militia in Great Britain, and of the miners of Cornwall and Devon; and for granting allowances, in certain cases, to subaltern officers, adjutants, surgeon's-

geon's-mates, and serjeant-majors of militia, until the twenty-fifth day of March one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

An Act to enable His Majesty to authorise the exportation of the machinery necessary for erecting a mint in the United States of America.

An Act to authorise such person as His Majesty shall appoint, to transfer a certain sum in Three Pounds per Centum Reduced Annuities, now standing in the name of the Dissolved College of Hertford, in the University of Oxford; and also to receive dividends due upon such annuities.

An Act for enabling the officers of the Customs at creeks, harbours, and basins of Great Britain, to take entries of ships and goods arriving from and bound to Ireland.

An Act to allow makers of oxygenated muriatic acid to take crushed rock salt, duty free, for making such acid or oxymuriate of lime, for bleaching linen and cotton.

An Act for establishing regulations respecting aliens arriving in, or resident in, this kingdom, in certain cases, for two years from the passing of this Act, and until the end of the session of Parliament in which the said two years shall expire, if Parliament shall be then sitting.

An Act to regulate proceedings of Grand Juries, in Ireland, upon bills of indictment.

An Act to amend the law of Ireland respecting the recovery of tenements from absconding, overholding, and defaulting tenants, and for the protection of the tenant from undue distress.

An Act for altering and enlarging the powers of an Act, of the thirteenth year of His present Majesty, for improving the town and parishes of Gravesend and Milton, in the county of Kent; and for the better assessment and collection of the poor rates and other rates within the parish of Gravesend.

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An Act for preventing frauds in the admeasurement and delivery of coals within the several parishes lying contiguous to the water side, in the county of Kent.

An Act for continuing the term, and altering and enlarging the powers, of an Act of the thirty-fifth year of His present Majesty, for repairing the road from Horseley Upright Gate, leading down Bowden Hill, in the county of Wilts, to the top of Kingsdown Hill, in the parish of Box, in the said county, and several other roads near or adjoining thereto.

An Act to continue the term, and alter and enlarge the powers, of several Acts of His present Majesty's reign, for repairing the highways from Speenhamland, in the county of Berks, to Marlborough, in the county of Wilts, and other roads therein mentioned, so far as relates to the Speenhamland district of the said roads.

And one private Act.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day His Highness Prince Esterhazy, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, charged with a letter of congratulation to the Prince Regent upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe-Cobourg, had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver the same; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day His Excellency the Marquess D'Osmond, Ambassador from His Most Christian Majesty Louis XVIII. charged with a letter from His Sovereign to congratulate the Prince Regent upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver the same; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day the Count St. Martin D'Aglié, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Sardinia, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to deliver a letter from His Sovereign; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day Monsieur de Pfeffel, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Bavaria, charged with a letter from His Sovereign to congratulate the Prince Regent upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, had

had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver the same; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day Monsieur Bourke, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Denmark, charged with a letter from His Sovereign to congratulate the Prince Regent upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver the same; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day Monsieur de Freire, Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Portugal, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, announcing the death of Her late Majesty the Queen of Portugal; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day the Baron de Just, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Saxony, charged with a letter from His Sovereign, to congratulate the Prince Regent upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver the same; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, June 27, 1816.

This day General de Neuffer, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Württemberg, charged with a letter from His Sovereign to congratulate the Prince Regent upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg, had an audience of His Royal Highness to deliver the same; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Downing-Street, June 28, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Major-General Richard Augustus

gustus Seymour to be Governor and Commander in Chief of the Island of St. Lucia.

Foreign-Office, June 29, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Don Blas Mendizabal as His Catholic Majesty's Consul-General in London.

Whitehall, June 27, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Reverend Thomas Blackburn, A.M. of Brasen Nose College, Oxford, to be one of His Royal Highness's Chaplains in Ordinary.

Whitehall, June 29, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to present the Reverend John Scott, Doctor in Divinity, to the Vicarage of Catterick, in the county of York and diocese of Chester, void by the death of Doctor Samuel Byam.

Whitehall, June 23, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Leonard Willan, of Lancaster, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Gent to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, June 29, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on Saturday the 22d instant, a barn and outhouse belonging to Thomas Gooch, Esq. at Milford-House, near Godalmin, in which was a threshing machine, and a large quantity of grain, was entirely consumed by fire, and that there is every reason to believe the same was set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said barn), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by the said Thomas Gooch, Esq.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 2, 1816.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 1st of *July* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

THIS day His Serene Highness the Prince of Saxe Cobourg was, by command of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, introduced into the Privy Council by the Right Honourable the Earl of Harrowby, Lord President, and His Serene Highness took His place at the Board on His Royal Highness's right hand.

The following Address has been presented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent; which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to receive very graciously:

To His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the General Body of the Protestant Dissenting Ministers of the Three Denominations, residing in and about the Cities of London and Westminster, beg

beg leave to approach your Royal Highness with cordial congratulations on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta of Wales, with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg.

Highly valuing the numerous advantages which this country has long enjoyed under a succession of Princes of the House of Brunswick, we take peculiar interest in this auspicious event.

Permit us, Sir, to express our warmest wishes, that the alliance may be productive of permanent satisfaction to your Royal Highness.

From the education of Her Royal Highness, in principles adapted to give stability to a Government, and prosperity to a nation, we confidently cherish the hope, that the true dignity of our country will be preserved by the wise and beneficial exercise of the same desire to promote the welfare of the people, and by the same sacred regard to the freedom of religious profession and worship, which have characterised the reign of our venerable Sovereign, and the administration of Government by your Royal Highness.

Influenced by these sentiments, we fervently offer our prayers to the King of Kings for the continued health and happiness of your Royal Highness, and of those illustrious personages whose nuptials have called forth from His Majesty's subjects such lively testimonies of approbation.

Signed, on behalf of the General Body,

Abraham Rees, D. D. F. R. S. F. L. S. Soc. Amer. Soc. *John Rippon*, D. D. *Thos. Morgan*, *Joseph Brooksbank*, *Al. Waugh*, D. D. *John Humphrys*, *T. Belsham*, *Thos. Thomas*, *Richard Bowden*, *Wm. Newman*, *John Coates*, *Wm. Moon*, *John Townsend*, *Thos. Cloutt*, *John Hawksley*, *John Potticary*, *Thos. Wood*, *and John Yockney*.

To

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

"I thank you for this loyal and dutiful Address.

"I derive the utmost satisfaction from the persuasion that the event which has occasioned this expression of your sentiments is equally calculated to promote the happiness of my Family, and to afford additional security to the best and most important interests of the nation.

"You may confidently rely upon the continuance of my favour and protection."

Carlton-House, July 1, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to invest Lieutenant-General Sir Gordon Drummond and Rear-Admiral Sir Israel Pellew with the ensigns of a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

By command of the Prince Regent, Lieutenant-General Sir Gordon Drummond was conducted, with the usual reverences, to His Royal Highness, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing upon a crimson velvet cushion the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

The sword of state was thereupon delivered to the Prince Regent, and Sir Gordon Drummond, kneeling, was knighted therewith, after which he had the honour to kiss His Royal Highness's hand.

Then Field-Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of York, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order, having received from the Officer of Arms the ribband and badge of a Knight Com-

Commander, presented them to the Prince Regent, who was pleased to invest Sir Gordon Drummond with the same.

The Lieutenant-General having again had the honour to kiss the Prince Regent's hand, and having received from His Royal Highness the star of a Knight Commander, retired.

Rear-Admiral Sir Israel Pellew was then introduced, knighted, and invested, with the same ceremonies.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was also pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the following Officers, Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath:

Colonel Sir Thomas Arbuthnot.
Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Sir Robert Lawrence Dundas.

War-Office, June 22, 1816.

The late 2d Battalion of the 47th Foot having borne a part in the memorable campaign in the Peninsula, and more particularly in the defence of Tarifa in Spain, and in consequence received the Prince Regent's permission to bear on its colours and appointments, the words Peninsula and Tarifa, and as that Battalion has been reduced, and the men transferred to the 1st Battalion, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 47th Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the words "*Peninsula*" and "*Tarifa,*" in commemoration of

of the distinguished services of the late 2d Battalion of that Regiment in Portugal, Spain, and France, under Field-Marshal the Duke of Wellington, and of the gallantry displayed by that Battalion in the defence of Tarifa on the 31st December 1811.

Crown-Office, July 2, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

City of Rochester.

James Barnett, Esq. in the room of Sir Thomas Boulden Thompson, Bart. who has accepted the office of Treasurer and Receiver of Greenwich Hospital.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, June 27, 1816.

The Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household has been pleased to appoint the Reverend John David Perkins, D. D. to be Chaplain in Ordinary to His Majesty, in the room of Dr. Samuel Byam, deceased.

Whitehall, June 28, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that two anonymous threatening letters, of which the following are copies, were put into the Post-Office at Chelmsford, and addressed to the Reverend George Leapingwell, Curate of Good Easter, in the county of Essex, viz.

Addressed—Mr. Lepingwell
Good Easter
Essex—

My Lord

You think yourself a Gentleman and I will be Damed if I dont make one of you if Both you interfer any more in these Parishes Chignels and Mashby what the Hell do you think you are a going to do as you like no in deed you shall be burnt up alive and I will do it too and you shall have no more notice but if you do interfer the least with the said parishes mentioed you and your Primeces shall perish so I tell you candately and I tell yon it was very Luckey for you you dident come from hs the Fair by those Paris— for if you had I would have broken your Bloody gimmey in stead of the Spring of your chass as you call it now if you say the least word about indicting or the least thing concurning those parishes Your life Old Fellow shall pay for it—

And I will wait
upon you with
great pleasure
a reward of a
le
O you Rascu thousand will be
of no yous for I am

by my self

WLIRNO

that my name
if you can spell you ugly
fellow

Leper-

Leperwell
Good Easter
Near Chelmsford
Essx

You rascul
to oblige me
to do this

I hope you will be able to mak— it out for the sake of your Bloody gimme which you shall have cracked if you dont mind yourself

Addressed—Mr Lepingwell
Good Easter
Betford Farm
near Chelmsford
Essex
with Spead

You rascule
the last I sent dent take much affect it a pears but if this dont I will see what a lump of led will do in your bloody gimmy if you do mean to interfer in the roads that I mentioned in my last 2 Chinels & Masury, but to end all if you do not leave your preasant situation between this & Michalmas your House & Premises shall be burnt x down to the groun d without any further Notice befor the winter is over and if you dont put of your farm directy I you shall suffer death for I will watch for you night and day to blow your brains out for you have caused me to be so bloody savage with you that it I will execute my words in a few days if I do not here that you have offered to let your Farm and let it to ram or elce cheveley as they have got two great boys wants business for no one elce shall have it—

so now I will conclud
with your Hble Servant
to murder you

if this isent done directy I
W I I R N O is my Name

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in writing and sending the said letters, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually wrote the same), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FORTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the Reverend Mr. Leapingwell to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

Whitehall, July 2, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that about twelve o'clock on the night of Friday last, the 28th ultimo, a number of persons armed, with their faces blacked, entered the factory of Messrs. Heathcoat and Boden, at Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Lace-Manufacturers, and after firing at and wounding one of the servants (a guard) in the said premises, they demolished every frame in the building, and destroyed all the lace, and did other damage to the amount of ten thousand pounds;

His

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said atrocious outrage, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually fired at and wounded the guard belonging to the said premises) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIVE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by the said Messrs. Heathcoat and Boden.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 6, 1816.

Westminster, July 1, 1816.

THIS day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Deputy Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords, authorised by virtue*

virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for declaring His Majesty's Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for further securing the duties on paper and pasteboard, and for repealing the countervailing duty upon pasteboard imported from Ireland, and the drawback upon pasteboard exported; and granting other countervailing duties and drawbacks in lieu thereof.

An Act for making provision to defray the annual charge of any loan of this session of Parliament.

An Act to unite and consolidate into one fund all the public revenues of Great Britain and Ireland; and to provide for the application thereof to the general service of the United Kingdom.

An Act to amend and continue, until the end of the next session of Parliament, an Act of the fifty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for regulating the trade in spirits between Great Britain and Ireland reciprocally; and to grant and allow new countervailing duties and drawbacks on spirits imported and exported between England and Scotland and Ireland respectively.

An Act to repeal the duties payable in Scotland upon wash and spirits, and distillers licences; to grant other duties in lieu thereof; and to establish further regulations for the distillation of spirits from corn for home consumption in Scotland, until the

the tenth day of November one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

An Act to amend an Act of the last session of Parliament relating to stamp duties in Great Britain, so far as relates to inventories to be exhibited and recorded in any Commissary Court in Scotland.

An Act for ratifying the purchase of the Claremont estate, and for settling the same as a residence for Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta and His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

An Act to repeal certain drawbacks and countervailing duties of Excise on beer and malt; to alter the drawbacks on plate glass, and to prevent frauds therein.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of July one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, an Act of the forty-sixth year of His present Majesty, for granting an additional bounty on the exportation of the silk manufactures of Great Britain.

An Act for repealing the duties payable for licences for retailing beer, ale, cyder, perry, or spirits in Great Britain, and for imposing other duties in lieu thereof.

An Act for more effectually securing the liberty of the subject.

An Act for the further regulation of the trades of tanners and curriers.

An Act to repeal part of the duty on spirits distilled in Ireland, to reduce the drawback on such spirits exported to foreign parts, and to make further regulations for the collection of the said duties, and the duties on licences for retailing spirituous and other liquors in Ireland.

An Act to make certain provisions for modifying the several Acts for imposing and levying of fines, in respect of unlawful distillation of spirits in Ireland.

An

An Act for allowing a drawback of the duty on coals consumed in lead mines in Cornwall.

An Act to regulate the conveyance of passengers from the United Kingdom to the United States of America in British vessels.

An Act for the making more effectual provision for the prevention of smuggling, and rewarding officers and persons making seizures and capturing smuggling vessels; for licensing luggers employed in the north sea fishery, and obliging exporters of exciseable goods on drawback to give notice of shipment.

An Act to vest the Elgin collection of ancient marbles and sculpture in the Trustees of the British Museum, for the use of the public.

An Act to explain and amend an Act, passed in the fifty-fifth year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the abolition of gaol and other fees connected with the gaols in England."

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the thirty-ninth and fortieth year of the reign of His present Majesty, for the safe custody of insane persons charged with offences.

An Act for admitting oil and blubber from the British colonies in North America, upon payment of the like duty as oil and blubber from Newfoundland.

An Act to explain and amend an Act, passed in the present session of Parliament, for punishing mutiny and desertion, in relation to the transportation of offenders.

An Act for enabling the officers in His Majesty's navy, and their representatives, to draw for and receive their half-pay, and for transferring the duty of making certain payments from the clerks of the cheque at His Majesty's dock yards to the clerks of the Treasurer of the Navy at the same yards.

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An Act to procure annual returns of persons committed, tried, and convicted for criminal offences and misdemeanours in Ireland.

An Act for defraying, until the twenty-fifth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, the charge of the pay and cloathing of the militia of Ireland, and for making allowances, in certain cases, to subaltern officers of the said militia during peace.

An Act to make provision for securing, for a time to be limited, the profits of the office of Clerk of the Pleas of His Majesty's Court of Exchequer in Ireland.

An Act to continue, until the fifth day of April one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, an Act of the fifty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for explaining and amending several Acts relating to spiritual persons holding of farms, and for enforcing the residence of such persons on their benefices, in England.

An Act to continue, until the first day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, two Acts of the fiftieth and forty-fifth years of His present Majesty, for allowing the bringing of coals, culm, and cinders to London and Westminster.

An Act for the more effectual punishment of persons riotously destroying or damaging buildings, engines, and machinery used in and about collieries, and other mines, waggon-ways, bridges, and other works used in conveying and shipping coals and other minerals; and for enabling the owners of such property to recover damages for the injury sustained.

An Act to amend an Act of the fifty-third year of His present Majesty, for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in Ireland.

An Act to amend the Act of the fifty-third year of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors in England;" and to

give further powers to the Court appointed by the said Act.

An Act to reduce the duty on the exportation from Great Britain of small coals of a certain description.

An Act to enable His Majesty to grant certain lands, tenements, and hereditaments escheated and devolved to His Majesty by the dissolution of Hertford College, in the University of Oxford, and the site of the said college and buildings thereon, to the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the said University, in trust for the Principal and other Members of Magdalen Hall, for the purpose of their removing to such site; and to enable the said Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the said University, and the President and Scholars of Saint Mary Magdalen College, to do all necessary acts for such removal.

An Act for the more effectual security and improvement of the harbour of New Shoreham, in the county of Sussex.

An Act to amend two Acts, made in the fifty-third year of the reign of His present Majesty, for opening a more convenient communication from Mary-le-Bone-Park to Charing-Cross, and for paving the streets to be made in Mary-le-Bone-Park; and to enable His Majesty to grant small portions of land as sites for public buildings, or to be used as cemeteries, within the bills of mortality.

An Act to repeal certain provisions in Local Acts for the maintenance and management of the poor.

An Act for enlarging the time for making the award respecting His Majesty's allotments under an Act of the fifty-third year of His present Majesty, for inclosing Windsor Forest; and for extending the provisions of the said Act.

An Act to repeal an Act, made in the thirty-ninth

ninth and fortieth years of His present Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, made in the seventeenth year of the reign of King George the Second, intituled "An Act to amend and make more effectual the laws relating to rogues, vagabonds, and other idle and disorderly persons, and to houses of correction;" and to make other provisions in lieu thereof.

An Act for authorising the Barons of the Court of Exchequer in Scotland to order the payment of a certain sum of money, to be applied in completing the Crinan Canal.

An Act to revive and continue, until the fifteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and seventeen, an Act of the fifty-second year of His present Majesty, for the more effectual preservation of the peace, by enforcing the duties of watching and warding.

An Act to amend an Act, passed in the fifty-fourth year of His present Majesty, for paving, lighting, watching, and otherwise improving the several streets and other public places upon certain lands near Battle-Bridge, in the parish of Saint Pancras, in the county of Middlesex.

An Act for improving the road from the city of Glasgow to the city of Carlisle.

And one private Act.

St. James's, July 2, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent proceeded in state from St. James's Palace to the House of Lords, where he arrived at two o'clock; and, having alighted from the state coach, he was received at the portico by the Great Officers and others, and proceeded to the robing room in the usual manner; His Royal Highness was there robed, his hat on his head, and the

procession moved into the house in the following order :

Officers of the Household.

Pursuivants.

Heralds.

Peers.

Norroy, King of Arms.

The Lord Privy Seal.

The Lord President of the Council.

The Lord Chancellor.

	Black Rod.	Deputy Garter.	
Serjeants at Arms.	The Deputy Earl Marshal, with his staff.	The Deputy Lord Great Chamberlain.	Serjeants at Arms.
	The coronet of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, borne by the Earl of Yarmouth.	His Majesty's crown, borne by Lord James Murray.	
	The sword of state, borne by the Duke of Wellington.	The cap of maintenance, borne by the Marquess of Winchester.	

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT.

His Royal Highness being seated on the throne, the Great Officers and others standing on the right and left, Sir Thomas Tyrwhitt, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a message from His Royal Highness to the House of Commons, commanding their attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Royal Highness, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was pleased to give the Royal assent to

An Act for granting to His Majesty a certain sum out of the Consolidated Fund of Great Britain,

tain, and for applying certain monies therein mentioned for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixteen; and for further appropriating the supplies granted in this session of Parliament.

An Act to extend the provisions of an Act, of the first year of the reign of King James the First, intituled "An Act for the better relief of the creditors against such as shall become bankrupts."

An Act to abolish the punishment of the pillory, except in certain cases.

An Act to regulate the binding of parish apprentices.

An Act for establishing the use of an hydrometer, called Sikes's hydrometer, in ascertaining the strength of spirits, instead of Clarke's hydrometer.

An Act for erecting buildings for the accommodation of the Court of Chancery.

An Act for enabling ecclesiastical corporate bodies, under certain circumstances, to alienate lands for enlarging cemeteries or church-yards.

An Act for altering and amending an Act, made in the fifty-second year of His present Majesty, for making a canal from the Grand Junction Canal, in the parish of Paddington, to the River Thames, in the parish of Limehouse.

An Act to alter and enlarge the powers of several Acts, passed in the Parliament of Ireland, for repairing and improving the roads leading from the city of Dublin to Ratoath and Curragha.

An Act to alter and enlarge the powers of two Acts of His present Majesty, for granting certain powers to the Gas Light and Coke Company.

And five private Acts.

After which His Royal Highness delivered the following most gracious speech to both Houses of Parliament:

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My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I CANNOT close this session of Parliament without again expressing My deep regret at the continuance of His Majesty's lamented indisposition.

The cordial interest which you have manifested in the happy event of the marriage of My daughter the Princess Charlotte with the Prince of Saxe Cobourg, and the liberal provision which you have made for their establishment, afford an additional proof of your affectionate attachment to His Majesty's person and family, and demand My warmest acknowledgments.

I have the pleasure to acquaint you, that I have given the royal consent to a marriage between His Majesty's daughter the Princess Mary and the Duke of Gloucester; and I am persuaded that this event will be highly gratifying to all His Majesty's subjects.

The assurances which I have received of the pacific and friendly disposition of the Powers engaged in the late war, and of their resolution to execute inviolably the terms of the treaties which I announced to you at the opening of the session, promise the continuance of that peace so essential to the interests of all the nations of the world.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I thank you for the supplies which you have granted for the service of the year; and I am sensible of the beneficial effects which may be expected to result from the salutary system of making provision for them in a way calculated to uphold public credit.

The arrangements which you have adopted for discharging the incumbrances of the Civil List, and for rendering its future income adequate to its ex-

expenditure, by relieving it from a part of the charge to which it was subject, are in the highest degree gratifying and satisfactory to Me; and you may be assured that nothing shall be wanting on My part to give full effect to those arrangements.

The provision you have made for consolidating the revenues of Great Britain and Ireland, will, I doubt not, be productive of the happiest consequences in cementing and advancing the interests of the United Kingdom; and must afford an additional proof of the constant disposition of Parliament to relieve the difficulties and promote the welfare of Ireland.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

The measures to which I have been under the necessity of resorting, for the suppression of those tumults and disorders which had unfortunately occurred in some parts of the kingdom, have been productive of the most salutary effects.

I deeply lament the continuance of that pressure and distress which the circumstances of the country, at the close of so long a war, have unavoidably entailed on many classes of His Majesty's subjects.

I feel fully persuaded, however, that after the many severe trials which they have undergone in the course of the arduous contest in which We have been engaged, and the ultimate success which has attended their glorious and persevering exertions, I may rely with perfect confidence on their public spirit and fortitude in sustaining those difficulties, which will, I trust, be found to have arisen from causes of a temporary nature, and which cannot fail to be materially relieved by the progressive improvement of public credit, and by the reduction which has already taken place in the burthens of the people.

Then

Then the Lord Chancellor, by the Prince Regent's command, said;

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

It is the will and pleasure of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, that this Parliament be prorogued to Saturday the 24th day of August next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Saturday the 24th day of August next.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 1st of *July* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the present session of Parliament, cap. 64, intituled "An Act to repeal several Acts relating to the "militia of Great Britain, and to amend other "Acts relating thereto," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by any Order in Council, to suspend the calling out of the militia of Great Britain in the present year, for the purpose of being trained and exercised, and to order and direct that no training or exercising of the militia shall take place in the present year, any thing contained in any Act or Acts relating to the militia, to the contrary notwithstanding: And whereas it is deemed expedient that such training and exercising should be dispensed with in the present year; it is ordered by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, that the calling out of the militia of Great Britain

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in the present year, for the purpose of being trained and exercised, be suspended, and that no training or exercising of the militia do take place in the present year. *Chetwynd.*

At the Court at Carlton-House, July 5, 1816.

CEREMONIAL *of the Investiture of Admiral James Lord Gambier and Admiral Edward Lord Exmouth with the Ensigns of Knights Grand Crosses of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.*

THE Knights Grand Crosses and the Officers of the Order, attending in their mantles, collars, &c. proceeded into the presence of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in the following order:

The Gentleman Usher of the Order, in his mantle, chain, and badge, bearing the scarlet rod.

Deputy Bath King of Arms, in the mantle, chain, and badge, with the sceptre of Bath; bearing the ribbands and badges of the Order upon a crimson velvet cushion.

The Genealogist, in his mantle, chain, and badge.

KNIGHTS GRAND CROSSES.

Sir Henry Wellesley.

Sir George Beckwith. Sir Brent Spencer.

Viscount Strangford.

Sir Richard John Strachan.

The Duke of Wellington.

Sir John Francis Cradock.

Sir Alured Clarke.

Sir John Borlase Warren.

Viscount Keith.

Lord Henley.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order.

Then, by the Prince Regent's command, Admiral James Lord Gambier was introduced into the presence between the two Junior Knights Grand Crosses present, preceded by the Gentleman Usher of the Order.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York, Senior Knight Grand Cross, received, thereupon, the ribband and badge from Deputy Bath, and presented them to the Prince Regent, who was pleased to put the same over the right shoulder of Lord Gambier; and, his Lordship rising, and having kissed the Prince Regent's hand, and received from His Royal Highness the star of the Order, withdrew.

Then Admiral Edward Lord Exmouth was introduced with the like ceremony, and invested; and his Lordship having kissed His Royal Highness's hand, and received the star of the Order from His Royal Highness, withdrew.

The Knights Grand Crosses being then called over by the Gentleman Usher, the procession returned in the order as before.

Carlton-House, July 5, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to invest Major-General Sir Thomas Sidney Beckwith with the ensigns of a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

By command of the Prince Regent, Major-General Sir Thomas Sidney Beckwith was conducted, with

with the usual reverences, to His Royal Highness, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing, upon a crimson velvet cushion, the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York and Albany, First and Principal Knight Grand Cross of the Order, having, thereupon, received from the Officer of Arms the ribband and badge of a Knight Commander, presented them to the Prince Regent, and Sir Thomas Sidney Beckwith kneeling, was invested with the same. The Major-General, rising, had the honour to kiss the Prince Regent's hand, and, having received from His Royal Highness the star of a Knight Commander, retired.

Major-General Sir Thomas Sidney Beckwith was not knighted by the Prince Regent upon this occasion, having already had that honour conferred upon him.

Carlton-House, July 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Alexander Croke, LL. D. late Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court at Halifax, Nova Scotia.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was also this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on John Woodfield Compton, LL. D. late Judge of the Vice-Admiralty Court at Barbadoes.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was also this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on John Cotgreave, Esq. Mayor of Chester, upon presenting an address of congratulation on the marriage of Her Royal Higness the Princess Char-

lotte with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was also pleased this day to confer the honour of Knighthood on Lieutenant-Colonel John Cheetham Mortlock, upon presenting an address of congratulation from the Corporation of Cambridge on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

Queen's-Palace, July 5, 1816.

This day Monsieur de Freire, Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Portugal, had a private audience of Her Majesty to deliver a letter, notifying the death of the Queen of Portugal; to which he was introduced by Earl Morton, Her Majesty's Lord Chamberlain, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, July 5, 1816.

This day His Excellency the Marquess D'Osmond, Ambassador from His Most Christian Majesty Louis the Eighteenth, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, announcing the marriage of His Royal Highness the Duke de Berri with Her Royal Highness the Princess of Naples; His Excellency was introduced to the audience by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secre-

Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, July 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Archibald Colquhoun, Esq. to the place and office of Clerk of His Majesty's Registers and Rolls in Scotland, in the room of Lord Frederick Campbell, deceased.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint Adam Gillies, Esq. to be one of the Lords Commissioners of the Jury Court in Civil Causes in Scotland, in the room of Alan Maconochie, Esq. deceased.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Right Honourable John Earl of Hopetoun to be Lieutenant and Sheriff Principal of the shire of Linlithgow.

Whitehall, July 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto James Campbell, Esq. Lieutenant-General in the Army, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Commander of the Royal Sicilian Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, which His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies has been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of His Royal approbation of the highly distinguished services rendered by him in the field, as well in the repulse

repulse of an attack of the enemy's troops near Messina, on the 18th September 1810, by the forces under his command, as during the other military operations of the late war in the kingdoms of Naples and Sicily; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, July 4, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Scotchburn, of Great Driffield, in the county of York, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, July 5, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Carrick, of Brampton, in the county of Cumberland, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed James Pullin Hinton, of the City of Bristol, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

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Whitehall, July 5, 1816.

Whereas it has been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that on the night of Wednesday the 26th of June last the dwelling-house of Mr. Dunkin, No. 33, Aldersgate-Street, was set on fire, whereby the same was wholly destroyed, and the dwelling adjoining thereto was considerably damaged, and whereas there is every reason to believe that the said premises were wilfully and maliciously set on fire;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the person or persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said premises), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of THREE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered to any person (except as is before excepted), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplies therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offender, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid, such reward to be paid by Mr. James Harmer, Solicitor, 29, Hatton-Garden.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 9, 1816.

Carlton-House, July 5, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Harry Niven Lumsden, Esq. upon presenting an address of congratulation from the county of Aberdeen, on the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte with His Serene Highness Leopold George Frederick, Duke of Saxe, Margrave of Meissen, Landgrave of Thuringuen, Prince of Cobourg of Saalfeld.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was also this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Major-General George Allan Madden (Portuguese Service), C. B. and Knight Commander of the Tower and Sword, of Cole-Hill-House, Fulham, Middlesex.

Carlton-House, July 8, 1816.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John M'Mahon to be Receiver-General of His Royal Highness's Duchy of Cornwall, vice the Right Honourable Richard Brinsley Sheridan, deceased; and

Major-General Benjamin Bloomfield, K. G. H. and M. P. to be Auditor and Secretary of the said Duchy of Cornwall, vice the Right Honourable John M'Mahon.

Foreign-

Foreign-Office, July 9, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Archibald Gordon, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Havre-de-Grace.

Crown-Office, July 9, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Yarmouth.

John Leslie Foster, of Collon, in the county of Louth, Ireland, Esq.

Whitehall, July 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Edmond Temple, Esq. a Captain of Cavalry in the Spanish Service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense that Sovereign entertains of his meritorious and gallant conduct against the enemy during the Peninsular war, more particularly in the actions fought at Arroyo del Puerco, Caceres, Arroyo de Molinos, and at the passage of the Bidassoa; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style,

appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, July 8, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Nuttall, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 13, 1816.

Crown-Office, July 13, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Wootton Basset.

William Taylor Money, of Walthampston, in the county of Essex, Esq. in the room of Robert Rickards, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

Whitehall, July 11, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Day, of the city of Bristol, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

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The Lord Chancellor has also appointed William Clapham Burton, of Kendall, in the county of Westmorland, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 16, 1816.

Whitehall, July 16, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to order a Congé d'elire, to pass the Great Seal, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Landaff, to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the death of the Right Reverend Father in God, Doctor Richard Watson, late Bishop thereof; and His Royal Highness has also been pleased, by His Royal sign manuel, to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter, the Reverend Herbert Marsh, Doctor in Divinity, and Lady Margaret's Professor of Divinity in the University of Cambridge, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See.

Crown-Office, July 16, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Nottingham.

The Right Honourable William Henry Cavendish Bentinck, commonly called Lord William Henry

Cavendish Bentinck, in the room of the Right Honourable Charles Herbert Pierrepont, commonly called Lord Viscount Newark (now Earl Manvers).

Whitehall, July 15, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint William North, Esq. to be Apothecary to Chelsea-Hospital, in the room of Richard Robert Graham, Esq. deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 20, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, July 20, 1816.

ORDERS for the Court's going into mourning, on Thursday next the 25th instant, for the late Queen of Portugal, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, fringed or plain linen, white gloves, necklaces and ear-rings, black or white shoes, fans and tippets.

Undress—White or grey lustrings, tabbies or damasks.

The Gentlemen to wear black, full trimmed, fringed or plain linen, black swords and buckles.

Undress—Grey frocks.

The Court to change the mourning on Thursday the 1st of August next, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk or velvet, coloured and

ribbons, fans and tippets, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waiscoats, full trimmed, coloured swords and buckles.

And on Sunday the 4th of August next, the Court to go out of mourning.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au- "thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem- "bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other "provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of the Honourable William Augustus Townshend, late Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Whitchurch, in the county of Southampton, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough of Whitchurch, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 17th day of July 1816.

CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

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Whitehall, July 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint David Douglas, Esq. to be one of the Lords of Justiciary in Scotland, in the room of Allan Maconochie, Esq. deceased

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the place of one of the Lords of Session in Scotland to James Wolfe Murray, Esq. in the room of Allan Maconochie, Esq. deceased.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant to John Connell, Esq. the office of Judge of the Court of Admiralty in Scotland, in the room of James Wolfe Murray, Esq. appointed one of the Lords of Session.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the office of His Majesty's Advocate for Scotland to Alexander Maconochie, Esq. in the room of Archibald Colquhoun, Esq. appointed Lord Register in Scotland.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the office of Solicitor-General for Scotland to James Wedderburn, Esq. Advocate, in the room of Alexander Maconochie, Esq. appointed His Majesty's Advocate for Scotland.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint John C. Dunlop, Esq. Advocate, to be Sheriff-Depute of the shire of Renfrew, in the room of John Connell, Esq. resigned.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Ma-

Majesty, to appoint Andrew Clephane, Esq. Advocate, to be Sheriff-Depute of the shire of Peebles, in the room of James Wedderburn, Esq. appointed Solicitor-General for Scotland.

War-Office, July 8, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the 82d (or Prince of Wales's Volunteers) being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Niagara*," in consideration of the distinguished services of that Regiment on the Niagara frontier, during the year 1814.

Crown-Office, July 16, 1816.

Days and places appointed for holding the Summer Assizes 1816, viz.

HOME CIRCUIT.

Lord *Ellenborough*, Lord Chief Justice.
Mr. Justice *Burrough*.

Hertfordshire, Monday, July 29, at Hertford.
Essex, Wednesday, July 31, at Chelmsford.
Kent, Monday, August 5, at Maidstone.
Sussex, Saturday, August 10, at Lewes.
Surrey, Thursday, August 15, at Guildford.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

Sir *Vicary Gibbs*, Knt. Lord Chief Justice.
Sir *Alexander Thomson*, Knt. Lord Chief Baron.

Buckinghamshire, Monday, July 29, at Buckingham.

Bed-

Bedfordshire, Thursday, August 1, at Bedford.
Huntingdonshire, Saturday, August 3, at Huntingdon.
Cambridgeshire, Monday, August 5, at Cambridge.
Suffolk, Thursday, August 8, at Bury Saint Edmund's.
Norfolk, Tuesday, August 13, at the Castle of Norwich.
City of Norwich, The same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Graham.*
Mr. Justice *Dallas.*

Northamptonshire, Tuesday, July 23, at Northampton.
Rutlandshire, Friday, July 26, at Oakham.
Lincolnshire, Saturday, July 27, at the Castle of Lincoln.
City of Lincoln, The same day, at the City of Lincoln.
Nottinghamshire, Thursday, August 1, at Nottingham.
Town of Nottingham, The same day, at the Town of Nottingham.
Derbyshire, Monday, August 5, at Derby.
Leicestershire, Thursday, August 8, at the Castle of Leicester.
Borough of Leicester, The same day, at the Borough of Leicester.
City of Coventry, Monday, August 12, at the City of Coventry.
Warwickshire, The same day, at Warwick.

NORTH-

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Wood.*
Mr. Justice *Bayley.*

City of York, and County of the same City, Saturday, July 27, at the Guildhall of the said City.
Yorkshire, The same day, at the Castle of York.
Durham, Saturday, August 10, at the Castle of Durham.
Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and County of the same Town, Thursday, August 15, at the Guildhall of the said Town.
Northumberland, The same day, at the Castle of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
Cumberland, Wednesday, August 21, at the City of Carlisle.
Westmorland, Wednesday, August 28, at Appleby.
Lancashire, Saturday, August 31, at the Castle of Lancaster.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice *Park.*
Mr. Justice *Holroyd.*

Southampton, Tuesday, July 23, at the Castle of Winchester.
Wiltshire, Saturday, July 27, at New Sarum.
Dorsetshire, Thursday, August 1, at Dorchester.
Devonshire, Monday, August 5, at the Castle of Exeter.
City and County of Exeter, The same day, at the Guildhall of the City of Exeter.
Cornwall, Monday, August 12, at Bodmin.
Somersetshire, Saturday, August 17, at the City of Wells.
City and County of Bristol, Thursday, August 22, at the Guildhall of the City of Bristol.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron *Richards.*
Mr. Justice *Abbott.*

Berkshire, Monday, July 22, at Abingdon.
Oxfordshire, Wednesday, July 24, at Oxford.
Worcestershire, Saturday, July 27, at Worcester.
City of Worcester, The same day, at the City of Worcester.
Staffordshire, Thursday, August 1, at Stafford.
Shropshire, Tuesday, August 6, at Shrewsbury.
Herefordshire, Saturday, August 10, at Hereford.
Monmouthshire, Thursday, August 15, at Monmouth.
Gloucestershire, Saturday, August 17, at Gloucester.
City of Gloucester, The same day, at the City of Gloucester.

CHESTER CIRCUIT.

Sir *William Garrow,* Knt. Chief Justice.
Francis Burton, Esq. Second Justice.

Montgomeryshire, Monday, August 19, at Welsh Pool.
Denbighshire, Saturday, August 24, at Ruthin.
Flintshire, Friday, August 30, at Mold.
Cheshire, Thursday, September 5, at the Castle of Chester.

NORTH WALES CIRCUIT.

Hugh Leycester, Esq.
William Kenrick, Esq.

Merionethshire, Saturday, August 24, at Dolgelley.
Carnarvonshire, Friday, August 30, at Carnarvon.
Anglesey, Thursday, September 5, at Beaumaris.

CARMARTHEN CIRCUIT.

Samuel Heywood, Serjeant at Law.
John Balguy, Esq.

Carmarthen, Monday, August 26.
Haverfordwest, Saturday, August 31.
Cardigan, Friday, September 6.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 23, 1816.

Queen's-Palace, Monday, July 22, 1816.

THIS evening, at nine o'clock, the solemnity of the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary, daughter of His Majesty, with Field-Marshal His Royal Highness William Frederick Duke of Gloucester, and of Edinburgh, &c. &c. was performed in the Grand Saloon at the Queen's-Palace by His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury, in the presence of Her Majesty the Queen, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, their Royal Highnesses the Dukes of York, Clarence, Kent, and Cambridge, their Royal Highnesses the Princesses Augusta-Sophia and Elizabeth, Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York, Her Royal Highness the Princess Sophia of Gloucester, His Serene Highness the Prince of Saxe Cobourg, His Serene Highness the Duke d'Orleans, Her Royal Highness the Duchess d'Orleans, and Mademoiselle d'Orleans, the Duke of Bourbon, the Great Officers of State, the Ambassadors and

Ministers from Foreign States, the Officers of the Household of Her Majesty the Queen, of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, and of the younger branches of the Royal Family, assisting at the ceremony.

At the conclusion of the marriage service the registry of the marriage was attested with the usual formalities, after which Her Majesty the Queen, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, the Bride and Bridegroom, with the rest of the Royal Family, retired to the Royal Closet.

The Bride and Bridegroom soon after left the Queen's Palace for Bagshot, the seat of his Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

Her Majesty the Queen, His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, and the rest of the Royal Family, passed into the Grand Saloon, where the Great Officers, Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other persons of distinction present paid their compliments on the occasion.

Immediately after the conclusion of the marriage the Park and Tower guns were fired, and the evening concluded with other public demonstrations of joy in the Metropolis.

Carlton-House, July 15, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Robert Hall, Esq. Post Captain in the Royal Navy, and Commodore on the Lakes of Canada, also Knight Commander of the Royal Sicilian Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, and a Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

Crown-Office, July 23, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Shire of Dumbarton.

The Right Honourable Archibald Colquhoun, of Killermont, Lord Clerk Register of Scotland.

BRECON CIRCUIT.

Presteigne, Monday, August 26.
Brecon, Saturday, August 31.
Cardiff, Saturday, September 7.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 27, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, July 26, 1816.

THE Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household has appointed Lieutenant-Colonel Sir James Bontein to be one of the Gentlemen of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Chamber.

Crown-Office, July 27, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Plympton Earle.

Alexander Boswell, of Auchenlech, in the county of Ayr, Esq. in the room of William Douglas, Esq. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 30, 1816.

Downing-Street, July 29, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Lieutenant-General George Earl of Dalhousie, G. C. B. to be Lieutenant-Governor of the province of Nova Scotia, in America.

Whitehall, July 29, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Charles Silvertop, Esq. late Captain in the 14th Regiment of Light Dragoons, and now a Colonel in the Spanish service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the supernumerary cross of the royal and distinguished Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King

King of Spain, hath been pleased to confer upon that Officer, as a signal testimony of His royal approbation of the distinguished services rendered by him in several actions with the enemy during the Peninsular war, particularly in the memorable battle of Barrosa, and at Usagre; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

St. James's, July 30, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Thomas Gilbank Ackland, M.A. to be one of His Royal Highness's Domestic Chaplains.

Whitehall, July 30, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Radford, of Atherstone, in the county of Warwick, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, July 30, 1816.

Whereas it has been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on the night of the 18th of June last, a loaded gun or pistol was fired upon some of the Officers

cers of Police of Edinburgh, while standing at the Office Door in that City, by some evil disposed person, at present unknown, whereby one of the said Officers was dangerously wounded in the head;

His Royal Highness for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the person or persons concerned in such atrocious act, is hereby pleased in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually fired such gun or pistol), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered to any person or persons (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offender or offenders to conviction, or cause him, her, or them to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by the Commissioners of Police of the City of Edinburgh.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 6, 1816.

Foreign-Office, August 6, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Honourable John Meade to be His Majesty's Consul-General in Spain, in the room of Sir John Hunter, deceased.

Whitehall, August 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint Captain Sir Thomas Lavie, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be Governor of the Royal Naval Asylum at Greenwich, in the room of Captain Richard Dacres, resigned.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint Richard Neave, Esq. to be Secretary and Register to the Commissioners for the Government of the Royal Hospital at Chelsea, in the room of George Aust, Esq. resigned.

Whitehall, August 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Patrick Campbell, Esq. Major in the Royal Artillery, and Brigadier-General in the service of His Catholic Majesty, late Colonel of the Spanish Regiment of Light Infantry called "Caçadores of Majorca," His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of the Royal and distinguished Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, hath been pleased to confer upon that Officer, as a signal testimony of His Royal approbation of the distinguished services rendered by him in several actions with the enemy during the Peninsular war, particularly at Medellin, Talavera de la Reyna, Castalla, Tarragona, and Barcelona; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 10, 1816.

Crown-Office, August 10, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Shire of Wigtown.

James Hunter Blair, of Dunskey, Esq. in the room of Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir William Stewart, K. B. who has accepted the Chiltern Hundreds.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 10, 1816.

India-Board, Whitehall, August 10, 1816.

A DISPATCH, dated Fort William, March 11, 1816, has been received at the East India-House from the Governor-General in Council, with inclosures; of which the following are extracts and copies:

WE desire to offer to your Honourable Committee the expression of our cordial congratulations on

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on the signal success which has attended the first operations of our arms, and to draw your particular attention to the distinguished merits and services of the officers and troops engaged in them, whose zeal, gallantry, and perseverance, demand our warmest applause.

Your Honourable Committee will not fail to perceive in the plan of operations adopted by Major-General Ochterlony the same judgment, ability, and military skill, which have always characterized that officer's proceedings, and which on the present occasion, supported by the bravery and discipline of the troops under his command, have enabled him to surmount difficulties of no ordinary magnitude, in passing the first range of hills, and to defeat the bold and desperate efforts of the enemy to oppose his subsequent progress.

The conduct of Colonel Kelly, in the command of the detached column directed against Hurryhurpore, is justly entitled to our high approbation; and we have great satisfaction in pointing out to the notice of your Honourable Committee the testimony borne by Major-General Ochterlony and Colonel Kelly, to the merits and services of Lieutenant-Colonel Miller, of His Majesty's 87th regiment; Lieutenant-Colonel Burnet, of the 8th regiment of native infantry; and Lieutenant-Colonel O'Halloran, of the 18th regiment native infantry; and the other officers particularly mentioned in the inclosed reports.

Copies of Letters and Inclosures from Major-General Sir David Ochterlony, K. C. B. to Major Nicol, Acting Adjutant-General.

SIR,

I BEG you will do me the favour to report to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Commander in Chief, that I marched at seven o'clock yester-

yesterday morning from Etowndah, after placing the defences of the fortified depôt there in a favourable state of preparation, and leaving for its defence four six-pounders, and seven companies of the 2d battalion of the 4th native infantry, under Major Campbell, the remaining three companies of that corps being posted on the crest of the Chireeah Ghatee pass.

At three in the afternoon the advance brigade, with the light train, arrived at our present ground in the Chowghera Mandee, which is an open level ground immediately to the southward of the hills which cover the fortified heights and detached defences of Muckwanpore, and somewhat above two miles from the forts.

The train and 4th brigade arrived this morning at nine o'clock, various obstacles and difficulties having retarded their progress yesterday, though the distance from Etowndah is only six miles.

On our arrival, the enemy had a strong party posted on a steep hill, opposite our left flank, also one considerably to the right on the same ridge; the former of these positions they evacuated early this morning, and a party of three companies, and a small detachment of His Majesty's 87th foot, are now posted there; and I am in hopes of turning it to good account in my further operations, or at any rate it will open our view of their positions.

Colonel Nicols reports from Ekoor, under date of the 25th, that he was induced to leave the 5th grenadier battalion and the 1st battalion 8th native infantry, with their proportion of field guns, at that place, under Major Lumley, with a view of checking any attempt on the part of the enemy on the vallies of the Raptee, from their posts of Kadrung and Oopudurung, to which they had retired on his advance. The Colonel also stated his intention of proceeding next morning along the Raptee with the

the remainder of his force, to join me at Etowndah, and I trust he will be able to effect a junction with this camp in two or three days.

I have, &c.

(Signed) DAVID OCHTERLONY,
Major-General.

Camp, near Muckwampore, February 28, 1816.

SIR,

WHEN I had the honour of addressing you yesterday, I could hardly suppose that a post so recently and voluntarily abandoned would have been a subject of contest; but I hardly closed the letter, and after ascending a short way up the hill, on the left, to reconnoitre the enemy's position, had proceeded towards the front of the right to examine a stockade, supposed to be situated at the eastern extremity of the same ridge, when a smart firing advancing on our post from the eastward, at half-past twelve, announced an attack in great force.

On my return to the front of the line, I had a very distinct view of the enemy's approach in large bodies; and successively detached to the aid of the party on the hill the light company of His Majesty's 87th, and the 2d battalion 25th native infantry, two more companies of the 87th, with the 2d battalion 12th native infantry, and two six-pounders on elephants, accompanied by Colonel Miller; and lastly, the 2d battalion 8th native Infantry.

The number of the enemy could not be less than two thousand men, with several guns, and repeated reinforcements; and during a momentary superiority in numbers, he approached close to the village, which was obstinately and gallantly disputed by our small party, until the arrival of more troops changed the fortune of the day; and from this time,

time, until half-past five, their repeated assaults on our positions were invariably repulsed, and he was at length driven off in confusion, chiefly by a charge of the 2d battalion of the 8th native infantry, in the direction of the enemy's guns, one of which, a four-pounder on a carriage similar to a mountain-train, was abandoned, and brought in this morning; also a considerable quantity of gun and musquetry ammunition, which was found strewed about in the utmost confusion.

The loss sustained by the enemy has been very considerable, and is supposed, by many, to be not less than five hundred men, including several of their officers, as appears by their dresses.

The casualties on our part are, I am grieved to say, many, as will be seen by reference to the inclosed return.

My sense of the gallant conduct of the corps engaged, and of individuals, is feebly expressed in the accompanying copy of Division Orders of this date, which I trust will meet the sanction and approval of His Excellency the Right Honourable the Commander in Chief.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) D. OCHTERLONY,
Major-General.

Camp, near Muckwampore, Feb. 29, 1816.

Division Orders by Major-General Sir David Ochterlony, K. C. B.

Camp, near Muckwanpore, February 29, 1816.

The Major-General returns his thanks to Lieutenant-Colonel Burnet, Major Shapland, Captains Smith and Fenton, and generally to the officers and men of the corps engaged with the enemy yesterday.

His position enabled him to see the gallant style in

in which they ascended, and the ardent spirit with which they attacked and drove the enemy from their vantage ground.

Whilst he returns his thanks to Lieutenant Kerr and Ensign Impey, for maintaining the village till reinforced, he cannot but regret the loss of so promising an officer as Lieutenant Tirrell

Lieutenant Pickersgill, Assistant-Quarter-Master-General, in re-ascending the heights with the 12th native infantry, evinced a continuance of that zeal, spirit, and ability, which has already been frequently noticed, and entitles him to the thanks of the Major-General.

The Major-General feels himself inadequate to express his sense of the conduct of Lieutenant-Colonel Miller, or the obligations he has conferred on this, as well as on other occasions; and he can offer his acknowledgments, with an assurance that his being on the heights gave him the most perfect confidence, that every thing possible would be done, and nothing practicable omitted; and this confidence was repaid by the charge of the 2d battalion native infantry, which was executed under his orders, and closed the day; and whilst it did honour to his judgment, it reflected the highest credit on the corps which had the glory to carry them into effect.

Return of Killed, Wounded, and Missing, in an Attack on the Heights, near Muckwampore, on the 28th of February 1816.

Killed.

87th Foot (Light Company)—11 rank and file.
12th Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—1 serjeant or havildar, 7 rank and file.
22d Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt. (one Company)—1 rank and file.
25th Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—1 lieutenant,

nant, 1 subadar, 3 serjeants or havildars, 20 rank and file.

Wounded.

87th Foot (Light Company)—19 rank and file.
8th Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—2 havildars, 19 rank and file.
12th Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—1 lieutenant, 1 subadar, 1 jemadar, 7 havildars, 71 rank and file.
22d Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt. (one company)—1 rank and file.
25th Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—1 havildar, 51 rank and file.
Pioneers or Sappers—1 rank and file.

Missing.

12th Bengal Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—2 rank and file.

Total killed, wounded, and missing—1 lieutenant, 1 subadar, 4 serjeants or havildars, 39 rank and file, killed; 1 lieutenant, 1 subadar, 1 jemadar, 10 serjeants or havildars, 162 rank and file, wounded; 2 rank and file missing.

Grand Total—45 killed; 175 wounded; 2 missing.

Names of Officers killed and wounded.

Killed.

20th Bengal Native Infantry, 1st Batt.—Lieutenant and Adjutant Tirrell, doing duty with the 2d Batt. 25th native infantry.

Wounded.

2d Batt. Native Infantry—Lieutenant and Adjutant P. Young, severely, but not dangerously.

N. B. 1 bheestee, 2d Batt. 25th native infantry, and 1 bildar of pioneers, killed; and 2 bildars wounded, not included above.

Copy of a Letter and Inclosure from Colonel W. Kelly, Commanding the 1st Brigade, to Major-General Sir David Ochterlony.

SIR,

I had the honour in my letter of the 28th ultimo, to acquaint you with my intention of proceeding to this point of the Hurryhurpoor-Hill, which movement I executed accordingly.

On the best reconnoisance that could be made without particularly calling the attention of the enemy to our movements, it appeared that a strong point within about eight hundred yards of the stockade I mentioned had been neglected. This stockade runs upon the range and to the westward of the Hurryhurpoor-Fort, supposed to be about one thousand yards from it, in form a semicircle, and the mountain nearly perpendicular to the extremities, two guns in it, and in all respects formidable.

As the occupation of this neglected point appeared to be of great moment, it was advisable to take it by surprise: I consequently ordered the light infantry companies of the brigade, with two companies of each of the following regiments, viz. His Majesty's 24th, 16th native infantry, Chumparun light infantry, and one company of the 2d battalion 21st native regiment, with two three pounders, carried by bearers, to march at three o'clock yesterday morning, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel O'Halloran, who took possession of the position a few minutes before six, dislodging a picquet left for its protection. The enemy, in very considerable force, made a most desperate and obstinate attack to recover this point,

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I was therefore obliged to send a few companies to support the rear of the position which was threatened.

It was impossible, from the nature of the ground, to close or use the bayonet, and the musquetry continued without interruption until half past eleven o'clock, when the arrival of two six-pounders and two five and a half-inch howitzers on elephants, in a few minutes decided the affair, and left us in possession of an almost natural redoubt, very advantageously situated for further operations.

I do myself the honour to inclose a list of killed and wounded, which, considering the length of time the affair lasted, is not great. Amongst the wounded you will find Captain Lindsay, of the artillery; although his wounds are not severe, I fear I shall lose his active services for a time, which I lament exceedingly, having found Captain Lindsay a most zealous able Officer, both as an artillerist and engineer.

I am highly indebted to Lieutenant-Colonel O'Halloran, for the able and officer-like manner in which he executed this duty; and nothing can possibly be more flattering or creditable, than his report of the gallant conduct of the troops throughout.

From every report, it appears that the enemy have suffered severely; numbers of their killed are lying in all directions round the point of attack. Two or three hundred Gorkahs have been brought in, but they are, from the severity of their wounds, unable to speak or give intelligence.

The advanced position only admits nine companies, which, with a Field-Officer, I relieve every twenty-four hours. It will take some time to make the road for the heavy guns. We are, however, this day employed in getting up the twelve pounders, which will probably breach the stockade.

I am still deficient of intelligence, and uncertain

of the real numbers of the enemy; but believe them to be as I before stated. The heavy rain of last night and this morning interrupts our operations; but I hope it is about to clear.

I have the honour to be, &c.

(Signed) W. KELLY, Colonel.

P. S. I have the highest gratification in announcing the occupation, by the advanced guard under the Field-Officer, Major Robeson, of His Majesty's 24th regiment, of the stockade, fort, and hill, which were evacuated some time this morning, during the rain and thick weather, by the Gorkah force, under Rnnjoor Kajee, who joined during the action of yesterday, and commanded.

(Signed) W. KELLY.

Return of Killed and Wounded in the 1st or Colonel Kelly's Brigade, in Action on the Heights of Hurryhurpore, on the 1st March 1816.

Camp, near Hurryhurpore, March 2, 1816.

Artillery—Captain Lindsay, wounded severely, but not dangerously; 2 lascars wounded.

24th Foot—Brevet Major Hughes, wounded slightly; Captain Smith, Lieutenant O'Leary, wounded severely, but not dangerously; 4 privates killed; 1 serjeant, 22 privates, wounded.

18th Native Infantry, 1st Batt.—2 sepoys killed; 1 naick, 4 sepoys, wounded.

21st Native Infantry, 2d Batt.—1 sepoy killed; 1 naick, 1 sepoy, wounded.

Chumparun Light Infantry—Lieutenant De Voeux, wounded severely, but not dangerously; 1 sepoy killed; 1 jemadar, 11 sepoys, wounded.

Pioneers—2 privates killed.

Total killed—4 privates of 24th Foot, 4 sepoys.

Total wounded—1 brevet major, 2 captains, 2 lieutenants, 1 jemadar, 1 serjeant, 22 privates

vates of 24th Foot, 2 naicks, 16 sepoys, 2 pioneers, 2 gun lascars.

(Signed) GEO. CASEMENT,
Major of Brigade.

N. B. Authentic intelligence has been received of the ratification by the Rajah of Nepaul, of the Treaty mentioned in the Gazette of the 11th of May; but no official copy of the ratified Treaty has been received.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 13, 1816.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 3d of *August* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS the time limited by the Order of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council of the twelfth day of February last, for prohibiting the exportation out of this kingdom, or carrying coastwise, gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, will expire on the thirteenth day of this instant August; and whereas it is judged expedient, that the said prohibition, so far as applies to the countries hereinafter named, should be continued for some time longer; His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in

in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, doth, therefore, hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no person or persons whatsoever (except the Master-General of the Ordnance for His Majesty's service) do, at any time during the space of six months (to commence from the said thirteenth day of this instant August), presume to transport any gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, to any port or place on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on any part of the Continent of America (except to a port or place, or ports or places, in His Majesty's territories or possessions on the Continent of North America, or in the territories of the United States of America), or ship or lade any gunpowder or salt-petre, or any sort of arms or ammunition, on board any ship or vessel, in order to transporting the same into any such ports or places on the Coast of Africa, or in the West Indies, or on the Continent of America (except as above excepted), without leave or permission in that behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council, upon pain of incurring and suffering the respective forfeitures and penalties inflicted by an Act, passed in the twenty-ninth year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to empower His Majesty to "prohibit the exportation of salt-petre, and to "enforce the law for empowering His Majesty "to prohibit the exportation of gunpowder, or "any sort of arms or ammunition, and also to "empower His Majesty to restrain the carrying "coastwise of salt-petre, gunpowder, or any sort "of arms or ammunition;" and also by an Act, passed in the thirty-third year of His Majesty's reign, cap. 2, intituled "An Act to enable His "Majesty to restrain the exportation of naval "stores, and more effectually to prevent the ex-

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" portation of salt-petre, arms, and ammunition, " when prohibited by Proclamation or Order in " Council:" But it is His Royal Highness's pleasure, that nothing in this Order contained shall be construed to alter or repeal the Order in Council of the twentieth of May one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, for regulating the export of gunpowder and arms to the coast of Africa, under the conditions therein specified. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain. *Chetwynd.*

War-Office, July 26, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the Regiments named in the margin* being permitted to bear on their colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to those Regiments, the words specified against their names, in commemoration of their services at Salamanca, on the 21st and 22d July 1812; at Nivelle, in November 1813; and at Toulouse, on the 12th April 1814.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to ap-

* 2d (or Queen's) Foot, 11th Foot, 32d Foot, 36th Foot, 53d Foot, 2d Batt., 61st Foot—SALAMANCA.

11th Foot, 32d Foot, 36th Foot, 61st Foot—NIVELLE.

11th Foot, 36th Foot, 42d Foot, 61st Foot, 79th Foot, 91st Foot—TOULOUSE.

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prove of the 36th Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Vimiera,*" in commemoration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the action at Vimiera on the 21st August 1808.

As the late 2d Battalion of the 44th Foot, bore a part in the memorable battle of Waterloo, and on that occasion received the Prince Regent's permission to bear on its colours and appointments the word "*Waterloo,*" and as that Battalion has been reduced, and the men have been transferred to the 1st battalion, His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of permission being granted to the 44th Regiment to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Waterloo,*" in commemoration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by the 2d Battalion of that Regiment in the action on the 18th June 1815.

As the late 2d Battalion of the 81st Regiment bore a part in the action near Corunna in Spain, and in consequence received the Prince Regent's permission to bear on its colours and appointments the word "*Corunna,*" and as that Battalion has been reduced, and the men have been transferred to the 1st Battalion, His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of permission being granted to the 81st Regiment to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Corunna,*" in commemoration of the distinguished services of the late 2d Battalion of that Regiment in the action fought near Corunna, on the 16th January 1809.

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Whitehall, August 12, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Hooper, of Ross, in the county of Hereford, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, August 13, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Samuel Higginbotham, of Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Joseph James Ward Rigley, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 17, 1816.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 13th of *August* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

IT is ordered by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, that the Parliament, which

stands prorogued to Saturday the twenty-fourth day of this instant August, be further prorogued to Monday the fourth day of November next.

Carlton-House, August 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the Corporation of London, waited upon the Prince Regent with the following Address, which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble and dutiful Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly approach your Royal Highness to offer our sincere congratulations on the recent auspicious nuptials of your Royal Sister, the Princess Mary, with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

We beg leave to express our most ardent hopes that this desirable alliance may be productive of perfect happiness to the illustrious individuals themselves, to every branch of your august family, and to the nation.

We contemplate with satisfaction the transcendent virtues which have uniformly commanded our ad-

admiration of the many valuable endowments and benevolent feelings which dignify and adorn the illustrious pair, and we look forward with confidence to the happiest results arising from virtues so eminently and honourably distinguished.

Permit us to repeat our unalterable sentiments of loyalty and firm attachment to His Majesty's Crown and Government, and to assure your Royal Highness of our anxious desire to contribute to the utmost of our power in promoting the happiness and prosperity of the United Kingdom.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

"I thank you for this dutiful and affectionate Address.

"It is highly gratifying to me to receive such a testimony of your participation in the happiness afforded to me and my family by the marriage of my sister, the Princess Mary, with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

"I rely with confidence on your firm attachment to His Majesty's Crown and Government, and on your earnest desire to promote, to the utmost of your power, the welfare and prosperity of the United Kingdom."

They were all received very graciously, and had the honour of kissing the hand of His Royal Highness.

Queen's-House, August 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the Corporation of London, waited upon Her Majesty with the following Address, which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, beg leave respectfully to approach your Majesty with sentiments of congratulation on the recent marriage of your Majesty's amiable daughter, the Princess Mary, with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

The numerous and endearing virtues which adorn Her Royal Highness's mind, cultivated by the tender assiduity, and guided by the eminent example of her Royal Mother, could not fail to attract universal admiration; and it is with peculiar delight that we contemplate the union of a Princess, endowed with qualities so truly amiable, with a Prince no less distinguished by every noble accomplishment.

We earnestly hope, Madam, that an alliance of such exalted promise may be crowned with every prosperity, and that your Majesty may long continue to witness its increasing felicity.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To

To which Address Her Majesty was graciously pleased to return the following Answer:

" I receive with great satisfaction your congratulations on an event the most interesting to me and my family; and I desire you to be assured, that I gratefully feel the value of the sentiments which you have expressed towards myself."

They were all received very graciously, and had the honour of kissing the hand of Her Majesty.

Gloucester-House, August 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the City of London, waited upon the Duchess of Gloucester with the following Compliments of Congratulation, which were read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Gloucester.

Madam,

WE, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, request permission to offer our warmest congratulations upon your auspicious marriage with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

Having been accustomed to behold with respect and delight in your Royal Highness's person the display of every female attraction, and in your conduct the practice of every virtue that can adorn the human mind, we indulge with confidence the hope, that this joyful alliance, with an illustrious and accomplished Prince, will be crowned with every blessing, and productive of uninterrupted happiness.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe,

To

To which Compliments of Congratulation Her Royal Highness was pleased to return the following Answer:

"*My Lord Mayor and Gentlemen,*

"I return to you my sincere thanks for your very flattering congratulations, and I request of you to believe, that the assurance of the interest you take in my happiness, and the sentiments you have just expressed, are most gratifying to me, who must ever feel anxious to possess the good wishes of the City of London."

Gloucester-House, August 13, 1816.

This day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the City of London, waited upon the Duke of Gloucester with the following Compliments of Congratulation, which were read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester.

SIR,

WE, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, have great joy in offering our compliments of congratulation to your Royal Highness on your auspicious nuptials with the virtuous and amiable Princess Mary, whose most excellent qualities and accomplishments have attracted universal admiration. Our satisfaction on this happy occasion is increased by the recollection of the numerous testimonies of your benevolence, exerted in support of the many charitable institutions of our metropolis, and of the noble endowments of your mind, affording the delightful presage that this illustrious union

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will be productive of the greatest felicity, and may your Royal Highness long live to enjoy the blessings of this alliance.

Signed, by order of Court,
Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Compliments of Congratulation His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following Answer:

"*My Lord Mayor and Gentlemen,*

"I request of you to accept my warmest acknowledgments for your very flattering congratulations, and to be assured, that this proof of your regard affords me the sincerest gratification. The sentiments you have had the goodness to express are deeply felt by me, who must ever anxiously wish to possess your good opinion, and who will ever feel the truest solicitude for the prosperity of the City of London."

Carlton-House, August 13, 1816.

This day Baron de Jacobi Kloëst, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Prussia, had audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver his letter of recall; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, August 14, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Ma-

Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Algernon Percy, Esq. (commonly called Lord Algernon Percy) and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Baron Prudhoe, of Prudhoe Castle, in the county of Northumberland.

Carlton-House, August 13, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Cox, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Major-General in the Portuguese Service, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword.

Foreign-Office, August 17, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Gilbert Robertson, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Philadelphia.

St. James's-Palace, August 13, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland has been pleased to appoint John Augustus Knipe, Esq. (Staff-Surgeon to the Forces) to be Surgeon to His Royal Highness's Household.

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Whitehall, August 17, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Tiley, of Frome, in the county of Somerset, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Robert Nevill, of Tamworth, in the county of Stafford, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, August 16, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that an anonymous threatening letter was put into the Birmingham Post-Office, on the 2d instant, and forwarded to Mr. John Walker, of Millfield, near Bilstone, of which the following is a copy, viz.

" Mr. John Walker

" Sir this is too oscertifey You that if You Drop the Millfield Padlers You shall recev the fratell blow of Death co shure as I remain a ennemy to You my fier lock shall be in better order then it was when I a tempted it be fore

" This a sure token of Death to You"

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in writing and sending the said letters, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually wrote the same), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accom-

plices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS is hereby offered to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.—Such reward to be paid by the said Mr. John Walker.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 27, 1816.

Crown-Office, August 26, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Whitchurch.

The Honourable Horatio George Powis Townshend, in the room of the Honourable William Augustus Townshend, deceased.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 7, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au-"thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem-"bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other "provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of Charles Chaplin, Esq. late Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Lincoln, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county of Lincoln, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 6th day of September 1816, CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Whitehall, September 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Sir Howard Douglas, Bart. Colonel in the Army, Inspector-General of the Royal Military College, and Commandant of the Senior Department of that Institution, His Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, with which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, hath been pleased to honour that Officer, in testimony of His royal approbation of the signal gallantry and able conduct displayed by him in the field while employed with the Spanish forces in the Peninsula.

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Foreign-Office, September 5, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. Herman Visger, as Consul at Bristol for the United States of America.

Edmund Fry, Esq. M.D. is appointed Letter Founder in Ordinary to His Majesty.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 10, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au-"thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem-"bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other "provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of Robert Morris, Esq. late Member serving in this present Parliament for the city of Gloucester, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said city of Gloucester, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 8th day of September 1816. CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Whitehall, September 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon James Little, of the island of Teneriffe, Esq.

Foreign-Office, September 10, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Thomas Turner, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Ragusa and the Boeca di Cattaro.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Thomas William Richards, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Nantes, and the ports and places in the department of the Lower Loire.

Whitehall, September 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, taking into His royal consideration the distinguished conduct and services of the late Lieutenant-General Sir George Prevost, Bart. during a long period of constant active employment in situations of great trust, both military and civil, in the course of which his gallantry, zeal, and able conduct were particularly displayed at the conquest of the island of St. Lucie in 1803, and of the island of Martinique in 1809; as also in successfully opposing, with

with a small garrison, the attack made in 1805, by a numerous French force, upon the island of Dominica, then under his Government; and while Governor-General and Commander in Chief of the British provinces in North America, in the defence of Canada against the repeated invasions perseveringly attempted by the American forces during the late war; and His Royal Highness being desirous of evincing, in an especial manner, the sense which His Royal Highness entertains of these services, by conferring upon his family a lasting memorial of His Majesty's royal favour, hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to ordain, that the supporters following may be borne and used by Dame Catherine Anne Prevost, widow of the said late Lieutenant-General Sir George Prevost, during her widowhood, viz. "*On either side a grenadier of the 16th (or Bedfordshire) Regiment of Foot, each supporting a banner, that on the dexter side inscribed* WEST INDIES, *and that on the sinister* CANADA;" and that the said supporters, together with the motto, "SERVATUM CINERI," may also be borne by Sir George Prevost, Bart. son and heir of the said late Lieutenant-General, and by his successors in the said dignity of a Baronet; provided the same be first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds' Office:

And His Royal Highness hath been also pleased to command, that the said concession and especial mark of the royal favour be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, September 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto John Lemoine, Esq. Colonel in the Royal Regiment of Artillery, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of a Commander of the Royal Sicilian Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, which His Majesty Ferdinand the Fourth, King of the Two Sicilies, hath been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of his signal services in the field, while commanding the royal artillery in the Neapolitan dominions during a period of nine years, particularly at the memorable battle of Maida in the year 1806, and the repulse of an attack of the enemy's troops near Messina on the 18th day of September 1810; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, September 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto James Jones, Esq. a Major in the Army, Captain on half-pay of the

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15th Regiment of Light Dragoons, and Lieutenant-Colonel in the service of His Catholic Majesty, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the supernumerary cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense he entertains of the distinguished services and gallant conduct of that Officer in several actions with the enemy during the Peninsular war, particularly in the memorable battle of Barrosa, and at Castalla; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, September 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Alexander Maclachlan, Esq. Captain in the Royal Regiment of Artillery, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of the Royal Piedmontese Order of St. Maurice and Lazare, which His Sardinian Majesty has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of his services in the field, while commanding a corps of artillery of the Italian Levy, on the eastern coast of Spain in 1813 and 1814; provided nevertheless, that His

Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 14, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au- "thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem- "bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other "provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of Sir Thomas Miller, Bart. late Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Portsmouth, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the

the said borough of Portsmouth, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 12th day of September 1816, CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au- "thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem- "bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other "provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of Joshua Lord Huntingfield, late Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Dunwich, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough of Dunwich, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 12th day of September 1816, CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Whitehall, September 11, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Countess of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Amabell, Baroness Lucas, of Crudwell, in the county of Wilts (eldest daughter and coheir of Jemima the late Marchioness Grey), by the name, stile, and title of Countess de Grey, of Wrest, in the county of Bedford, and the dignity of an Earl of the said United Kingdom to the heirs male of her body, lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Earl de Grey, of Wrest, in the said county of Bedford; and in default of such issue male, the said dignity of Countess de Grey to the Right Honourable Mary Jemima, Dowager Baroness Grantham (the only younger daughter and coheir of the said Marchioness Grey), and the said dignity of Earl de Grey to the heirs male of the body of the said Dowager Baroness Grantham lawfully begotten.

Foreign-Office, September 14, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Alexander Gibson, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Dantzic and its dependencies.

Whitehall, September 11, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Holmes, of Tamworth, in the county of Stafford, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY of SEPTEMBER 15, 1816.

Admiralty-Office, September 15, 1816.

CAPTAIN BRISBANE, of His Majesty's ship Queen Charlotte, arrived at this Office last night with the following dispatches from Admiral Lord Exmouth, G. C. B. addressed to John Wilson Croker, Esq.

Queen Charlotte, Algiers-Bay,
August 28, 1816.

SIR,

IN all the vicissitudes of a long life of public service, no circumstance has ever produced on my mind such impressions of gratitude and joy as the event of yesterday. To have been one of the humble instruments, in the hands of Divine Providence, for bringing to reason a ferocious Government, and destroying for ever the insufferable and horrid system of Christian slavery, can never cease to be a source of delight and heartfelt comfort to every individual happy enough to be employed in it. I may, I hope, be permitted, under such impressions, to offer my sincere congratulations to their Lordships on the complete success which attended the gallant efforts of His Majesty's fleet in their attack upon Algiers of yesterday; and the happy result produced from it on this day by the signature of peace.

Thus has a provoked war of two days existence been attended by a complete victory, and closed by a renewed peace for England and her Ally, the King of the Netherlands, on conditions dictated by the firmness and wisdom of His Majesty's Go-

Government, and commanded by the vigour of their measures.

My thanks are justly due for the honour and confidence His Majesty's Ministers have been pleased to repose on my zeal, on this highly important occasion. The means were by them made adequate to my own wishes, and the rapidity of their measures speak for themselves. Not more than one hundred days since, I left Algiers with the British fleet, unsuspicious and ignorant of the atrocities which had been committed at Bona; that fleet on its arrival in England was necessarily disbanded, and another, with proportionate resources, created and equipped; and although impeded in its progress by calms and adverse winds, has poured the vengence of an insulted nation, in chastising the cruelties of a ferocious Government, with a promptitude beyond example, and highly honourable to the national character, eager to resent oppression or cruelty, whenever practised upon those under their protection.

Would to God that in the attainment of this object I had not deeply to lament the severe loss of so many gallant officers and men; they have profusely bled in a contest which has been peculiarly marked by proofs of such devoted heroism as would rouse every noble feeling, did I dare indulge in relating them.

Their Lordships will already have been informed, by His Majesty's sloop Jasper, of my proceedings up to the 14th instant, on which day I broke ground from Gibraltar, after a vexatious detention, by a foul wind, of four days.

The fleet, complete in all its points, with the addition of five gun-boats fitted at Gibraltar, departed in the highest spirits, and with the most favourable prospect of reaching the port of their destination in three days; but an adverse wind destroyed the expectation of an early arrival, which

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was the more anxiously looked for by myself, in consequence of hearing, the day I sailed from Gibraltar, that a large army had been assembled, and that very considerable additional works were throwing up, not only on both flanks of the city, but also immediately about the entrance of the Mole: from this I was apprehensive that my intention of making that point my principal object of attack, had been discovered to the Dey by the same means he had heard of the expedition. This intelligence was, on the following night, greatly confirmed by the Prometheus, which I had dispatched to Algiers some time before, to endeavour to get away the Consul. Captain Dashwood had with difficulty succeeded in bringing away, disguised in Midshipman's uniform, his wife and daughter, leaving a boat to bring off their infant child, coming down in a basket with the Surgeon, who thought he had composed it, but it unhappily cried in the gate-way, and in consequence the Surgeon, three Midshipmen, in all eighteen persons, were seized and confined as slaves in the usual dungeons. The child was sent off next morning by the Dey, and as a solitary instance of his humanity, it ought to be recorded by me.

Captain Dashwood further confirmed, that about forty-thousand men had been brought down from the interior, and all the Janisaries called in from distant garrisons, and that they were indefatigably employed in their batteries, gun-boats, &c. and every where strengthening the sea-defences.

The Dey informed Captain Dashwood, he knew perfectly well the armament was destined for Algiers, and asked him if it was true; he replied, if he had such information, he knew as much as he did, and probably from the same source—the public prints.

The ships were all in port, and between forty and fity gun and mortar boats ready, with several more

more in forward repair. The Dey had closely confined the Consul, and refused either to give him up, or promise his personal safety; nor would he hear a word respecting the Officers and men seized in the boats of the Prometheus.

From the continuance of adverse winds and calms, the land to the westward of Algiers was not made before the 26th, and the next morning at day-break the fleet was advanced in sight of the city, though not so near as I had intended. As the ships were becalmed, I embraced this opportunity of dispatching a boat, under cover of the Severn, with a flag of truce, and the demands I had to make, in the name of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, on the Dey of Algiers (of which the accompanying are copies) directing the Officer to wait two or three hours for the Dey's answer, at which time, if no reply was sent, he was to return to the flag ship; he was met near the Mole by the Captain of the port, who, on being told the answer was expected in one hour, replied, that it was impossible. The Officer then said he would wait two or three hours; he then observed, two hours was quite sufficient.

The fleet at this time, by the springing up of the sea breeze, had reached the bay, and were preparing the boats and flotilla for service, until near two o'clock, when, observing my Officer was returning with the signal flying, that no answer had been received, after a delay of upwards of three hours, I instantly made the signal to know if the ships were all ready, which being answered in the affirmative, the Queen Charlotte bore up, followed up by the fleet, for their appointed stations; the flag, leading in the prescribed order, was anchored in the entrance of the Mole, at about fifty yards distance. At this moment not a gun had been fired, and I began to suspect a full compliance with the terms which had been so many hours in their hands; at this

this period of profound silence, a shot was fired at us from the Mole, and two at the ships to the northward then following; this was promptly returned by the Queen Charlotte, who was then lashing to the mainmast of a brig, fast to the shore in the mouth of the Mole, and which we had steered for, as the guide to our position.

Thus commenced a fire as animated and well supported as, I believe, was ever witnessed, from a quarter before three until nine, without intermission, and which did not cease altogether until half past eleven.

The ships immediately following me were admirably and coolly taking their stations, with a precision even beyond my most sanguine hope; and never did the British flag receive, on any occasion, more zealous and honourable support. To look further on the line than immediately round me was perfectly impossible, but so well grounded was my confidence in the gallant Officers I had the honour to command, that my mind was left perfectly free to attend to other objects, and I knew them in their stations only by the destructive effect of their fire upon the walls and batteries to which they were opposed.

I had about this time the satisfaction of seeing Vice-Admiral Van Cappellen's flag in the station I had assigned to him, and soon after, at intervals, the remainder of his frigates, keeping up a well supported fire on the flanking batteries he had offered to cover us from, as it had not been in my power, for want of room, to bring him in the front of the Mole.

About sun-set I received a message from Rear-Admiral Milne, conveying to me the severe loss the Impregnable was sustaining, having then one hundred and fifty killed and wounded, and requesting I would, if possible, send him a frigate to divert some of the fire he was under.

The Glasgow, near me, immediately weighed, but the wind had been driven away by the cannonade, and she was obliged to anchor again, having obtained rather a better position than before.

I had at this time sent orders to the explosion vessel, under the charge of Lieutenant Fleming and Mr. Parker, by Captain Reade of the engineers, to bring her into the Mole; but the Rear-Admiral having thought she would do him essential service if exploded under the battery in his front, I sent orders to this vessel to that effect, which were executed. I desired also the Rear-Admiral might be informed, that many of the ships being now in flames, and certain of the destruction of the whole, I considered I had executed the most important part of my instructions, and should make every preparation for withdrawing the ships, and desired he would do so as soon as possible with his division.

There were awful moments during the conflict, which I cannot now attempt to describe, occasioned by firing the ships so near us, and I had long resisted the eager entreaties of several around me, to make the attempt upon the outer frigate, distant about one hundred yards, which at length I gave into, and Major Gossett, by my side, who had been eager to land his corps of miners, pressed me most anxiously for permission to accompany Lieutenant Richards in this ship's barge. The frigate was instantly boarded, and in ten minutes, in a perfect blaze; a gallant young Midshipman, in Rocket Boat No. 8, although forbidden, was led by his ardent spirit, to follow in support of the barge, in which he was desperately wounded, his brother Officer killed, and nine of his crew. The barge, by rowing more rapidly, had suffered less, and lost but two.

The enemy's batteries around my division were about ten o'clock silenced, and in a state of perfect ruin

ruin and dilapidation, and the fire of the ships was reserved as much as possible, to save powder and reply to a few guns now and then bearing upon us, although a fort on the upper angle of the city, on which our guns could not be brought to bear, continued to annoy the ships by shot and shells during the whole time.

Providence at this interval gave to my anxious wishes the usual land wind, common in this bay, and my expectations were completed. We were all hands employed warping and towing off, and by the help of the light air, the whole were under sail, and came to anchor out of reach of shells, about two in the morning, after twelve hours incessant labour.

The flotilla of mortar, gun, and rocket boats, under the direction of their respective Artillery Officers, shared, to the full extent of their power, in the honours of this day; and performed good service; it was by their fire all the ships in the port (with the exception of the outer frigate) were in flames, which extended rapidly over the whole arsenal, store-houses, and gun-boats, exhibiting a spectacle of awful grandeur and interest, no pen can describe.

The sloops of war which had been appropriated to aid and assist the ships of the line and prepare for their retreat, performed not only that duty well, but embraced every opportunity of firing through the intervals, and were constantly in motion.

The shells from the bombs were admirably well thrown by the royal marine artillery; and although thrown directly across and over us, not an accident, that I know of, occurred to any ship.

The whole was conducted in perfect silence, and such a thing as a cheer I never heard in any part of the line; and that the guns were well worked and directed, will be seen for many years to come, and remembered by these Barbarians for ever.

The conducting this ship to her station by the Masters of the fleet, and ship, excited the praise of all. The former has been my companion in arms for more than twenty years.

Having thus detailed, although but imperfectly, the progress of this short service, I venture to hope, that the humble and devoted services of myself and the Officers and men of every description I have the honour to command, will be received by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent with his accustomed grace. The approbation of our services by our Sovereign, and the good opinion of our country, will, I venture to affirm, be received by us all with the highest satisfaction.

If I attempted to name to their Lordships the numerous Officers who, in such a conflict, have been at different periods more conspicuous than their companions, I should do injustice to many; and I trust there is no Officer in the fleet I have the honour to command, who will doubt the grateful feelings I shall ever cherish for their unbounded and unlimited support. Not an Officer nor man confined his exertions within the precise limits of their own duty; all were eager to attempt services which I found more difficult to restrain than excite; and no where was this feeling more conspicuous than in my own Captain, and those Officers immediately about my person. My gratitude and thanks are due to all under my command, as well as to Vice-Admiral Capellen, and the Officers of the squadron of His Majesty the King of the Netherlands; and I trust they will believe that the recollection of their services will never cease but with my life. In no instance have I ever seen more energy and zeal; from the youngest Midshipman to the highest rank, all seemed animated by one soul, and of which I shall with delight bear testimony to their Lordships, whenever that testimony can be useful.

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I have confided this Dispatch to Rear-Admiral Milne, my second in Command, from whom I have received, during the whole service intrusted to me, the most cordial and honourable support. He is perfectly informed of every transaction of the fleet, from the earliest period of my command, and is fully competent to give their Lordships satisfaction on any points which I may have overlooked, or have not time to state. I trust I have obtained from him his esteem and regard, and I regret I had not sooner been known to him.

The necessary papers, together with the defects of the ships and the return of killed and wounded, accompany this dispatch, and I am happy to say Captains Ekins and Coode are doing well, as also the whole of the wounded. By accounts from the shore, I understand, the enemy's loss in killed and wounded is between six and seven thousand men.

In recommending my Officers and fleet to their Lordships protection and favour,

I have the honour to be, &c.

EXMOUTH.

A General Abstract of the Killed and Wounded in the Squadron under Admiral Lord Exmouth's Command, in the Attack of Algiers, the 27th August 1816.

Queen Charlotte, Admiral Lord Exmouth, G. C. B. Captain James Brisbane, C. B.—7 seamen, 1 marine, killed; 14 officers, 82 seamen, 24 marines, 2 marine artillery, 5 sappers and miners, 4 boys, wounded.

Impregnable, Rear-Admiral Milne, Captain Ed. Brace, C. B.—1 officer, 37 seamen, 10 marines, 2 boys, killed; 2 officers, 111 seamen, 21 marines, 9 sappers and miners, 17 boys, wounded.

Superb, Charles Ekins—2 officers, 3 seamen, 2 marines, 1 rocket troop, killed; 6 officers, 62 seamen, 14 marines, 2 marine artillery, wounded.

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Minden, William Paterson—5 seamen, 2 marines, killed; 2 officers, 26 seamen, 9 marines, wounded.

Albion, John Coode—2 officers, 1 seaman, killed; 2 officers, 10 seamen, 3 marines, wounded.

Leander, Ed. Chetham, C. B.—5 officers, 11 seamen, 1 marine, killed; 8 officers, 69 seamen, 25 marines, 4 boys, 12 supernumeraries, wounded.

Severn, Honourable T. W. Aylmer—2 seamen, 1 marine, killed; 5 officers, 25 seamen, 3 marines, 1 boy, wounded.

Glasgow, Honourable A. Maitland—9 seamen, 1 marine, killed; 8 officers, 25 seamen, 3 marines, 1 boy, wounded.

Granicus, W. F. Wise—3 officers, 9 seamen, 1 marine, 1 marine artillery, 2 boys, killed; 5 officers, 31 seamen, 3 marines, 2 rocket troop, 1 boy, wounded.

Hebrus, Ed. Palmer, C. B.—1 officer, 3 seamen, killed; 1 officer, 10 seamen, 1 marine, 2 rocket troop, 1 boy, wounded.

Heron, George Bentham—None killed or wounded.

Mutine, James Mould—None killed or wounded.

Prometheus, W. B. Dashwood—None killed or wounded.

Cordelia, W. Sargent—None killed or wounded.

Britomart, R. Riddell—None killed or wounded.

Belzebub, William Kempthorne—None killed or wounded.

Infernal, Honourable G. J. Perceval— 1 officer, 1 seaman, killed; 6 officers, 8 seamen, 1 marine artillery, 2 boys, wounded.

Hecla, W. Popham—None killed or wounded.

Fury, C. R. Moorsom—None killed or wounded.

Total—15 officers, 88 seamen, 19 marines, 1 marine artillery, 1 rocket troop, 4 boys, killed; 59 officers, 459 seamen, 106 marines, 5 marine artillery, 14 sappers and miners, 4 rocket troop, 31 boys, 12 supernumeraries, wounded.

Total

Total killed and wounded—128 killed, 690 wounded.

DUTCH SQUADRON.

Melampus, Vice-Admiral Baron Van Capellen, Captain De Mair—3 killed, 15 wounded.
Frederica, Captain Vander Straten—5 wounded.
Dageraad, Captain Polders—4 wounded.
Diana, Captain Ziervogel—6 killed, 22 wounded.
Amstee, Captain Vander Hart—4 killed, 6 wounded.
Eendracht, Captain Wardenburgh—None killed or wounded.

Total—13 killed, 52 wounded.

Grand Total—883.

FLOTILLA,

Consisting of 5 gun-boats, 10 mortar-boats, launches, 8 rocket-boats, flats, 32 gun-boats, barges and yawls.

Total—55.

The whole commanded by Captain F. T. Michell, assisted by Lieutenant John Davies, of the Queen Charlotte, and Lieutenant Thomas Revans, Flag Lieutenant to Rear-Admiral Milne.

EXMOUTH.

A Return of the Officers killed and wounded in the Squadron under Admiral Lord Exmouth's Command, in the Attack of Algiers, 27th August 1816.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE.

Wounded.

Frederick J. Johnston, Lieutenant, dangerously.
George M. King, Lieutenant, slightly.
J. S. Jago, Lieutenant, slightly.

Mr.

Mr. Josh. Grimes, Secretary to Commander in Chief, slightly.
Mr. Maxwell, Boatswain, slightly.
Mr. George Markham, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Henry Campbell, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Edward Hibbert, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Edward Stanley, Midshipman, slightly.
Mr. R. H. Baker, Midshipman, slightly.
Mr. Samuel Colston, Secretary's Clerk, slightly.
Captain F. Burton, Royal Marine Artillery, severely.
Lieutenant P. Robertson, Royal Marines, slightly.

IMPREGNABLE.

Killed.

Mr. John Hawkins, Midshipman.

Wounded.

Mr. G. N. Wesley, Mate, contusion.
Mr. Henry Quinn, contusion.

SUPERB.

Killed.

Mr. Thomas Howard, Mate.
Mr. Robert C. Bowen, Midshipman.

Wounded.

Charles Ekins, Esq. Captain, slightly.
Philip T. Horn, First Lieutenant, severely.
John M'Dougall, Lieutenant, slightly.
George W. Gunning, Acting-Lieutenant, severely.
Mr. William Sweeting, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. John H. Wolsely, Midshipman, slightly.

MINDEN.

Wounded.

Mr. Charles C. Dent, Mate, slightly.
Mr. Charles G. Gruh, Midshipman, slightly.

ALBION.

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Killed.

Mr. Mends, Assistant-Surveyor.
Mr. Jardine, Midshipman.

Wounded.

John Coode, Esq. Captain, severely.
Mr. Harvey, Midshipman, severely.

SEVERN.

Wounded.

Mr. James Foster, Midshipman, arm amputated.
Mr. Charles Caley, Midshipman, contused foot.
Mr. William Ferror, Midshipman, wounded hand and contusion.
Mr. Daniel Beattie, Midshipman, contusion.
Mr. William Adair Carter, Midshipman, wounded knee.

LEANDER.

Killed

Captain Wilson, Royal Marines.
Lieutenant Baxter, Royal Marines.
Mr. Lowdon, Midshipman.
Mr. Calthorp, Midshipman.
Mr. Hanwell, Midshipman.

Wounded.

Henry Walker, Lieutenant, slightly.
J. S. Dixon, Lieutenant, slightly.
Mr. Ashington, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Cole, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Mayne, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Sturt, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Pickett, Clerk, slightly.
Mr. Dixon, Midshipman, slightly.

GLASGOW.

Wounded.

P. Gilbert, Lieutenant, contusion of chest.
Mr. Robert Fulton, Master, contusion of face and knee.
A. Stephens, Lieutenant Royal Marines, leg.
Mr. Duffill, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Harvey, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Baird, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. Heathcote, Midshipman, left foot.
Mr. Keay, Midshipman, severely.

GRANICUS.

Killed.

William M. Morgan, Lieutenant Royal Marines.
William Renfrey, Lieutenant Royal Marines.
Mr. Robert Pratt, Midshipman.

Wounded.

H. A. Perkins, Lieutenant, slightly.
Mr. L. Mitchell, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. L. T. Jones, Midshipman, slightly.
Mr. G. R. Glennie, Midshipman, dangerously.
Mr. Dacres F. Wise, Midshipman, slightly.

HEBRUS.

Killed.

Mr. G. H. A. Pococke, Midshipman.

Wounded.

Mr. A. S. Symes, Midshipman, lower jaw.

INFERNAL.

Killed.

G. J. P. Bissett, Lieutenant Royal Marine Artillery.

Wounded.

John Foreman, Lieutenant, slightly.
Mr. G. Valentine, Boatswain, slightly.
Mr. Morgan Hopkins, Clerk, severely.
Mr. James Barber, Midshipman, severely.
Mr. James M. Cross, Midshipman, slightly.
Mr. J. H. Andrews, Midshipman, slightly.

(Signed) EXMOUTH.

Memorandum of the Destruction in the Mole of Algiers, in the Attack of the 27th August 1816.

4 large frigates, of 44 guns.
5 large corvettes, from 24 to 30 guns.
All the gun and mortar-boats, except seven; 30 destroyed.
Several merchant brigs and schooners.
A great number of small vessels of various descriptions.
All the pontoons, lighters, &c.
Store-houses and arsenal, with all the timber and various marine articles, destroyed in part.
A great many gun-carriages, mortar-beds, casks, and ships stores of all descriptions.

EXMOUTH.

His Britannic Majesty's Ship Queen Charlotte,
SIR, *Algiers Bay, 28th August,* 1816.

FOR your atrocities at Bona, on defenceless Christians, and your unbecoming disregard to the demands I made yesterday, in the name of the Prince Regent of England, the fleet under my orders has given you a signal chastisement, by the total destruction of your navy, storehouses, and arsenal, with half your batteries.

As England does not war for the destruction of cities, I am unwilling to visit your personal cruelties upon the inoffensive inhabitants of the country, and I therefore offer you the same terms of peace, which I conveyed to you yesterday in my Sovereign's name: without the acceptance of these terms, you can have no peace with England.

If you receive this offer as you ought, you will fire three guns, and I shall consider your not making this signal as a refusal, and shall renew my operations at my own convenience.

I offer you the above terms, provided neither the British Consul, nor the Officers and men so wickedly seized by you from the boats of a British ship of war, have met with any cruel treatment, or any of the Christian slaves in your power, and I repeat my demand, that the Consul, and Officers and men, may be sent off to me, conformable to ancient treaties.

I have, &c.

EXMOUTH.

To His Highness the Dey of Algiers.

Queen

Queen Charlotte, Algiers Bay,
August 30, 1816.

GENERAL MEMORANDUM.

THE Commander in Chief is happy to inform the fleet of the final termination of their strenuous exertions, by the signature of peace, confirmed under a salute of twenty-one guns, on the following conditions, dictated by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of England :

I. The abolition, for ever, of Christian slavery.

II. The delivery, to my flag, of all slaves in the dominions of the Dey, to whatever nation they may belong, at noon to-morrow.

III. To deliver also, to my flag, all money received by him for the redemption of slaves since the commencement of this year, at noon also to-morrow.

IV. Reparation has been made to the British Consul for all losses he may have sustained in consequence of his confinement.

V. The Dey has made a public apology, in presence of his Ministers and Officers, and begged pardon of the Consul, in terms dictated by the Captain of the Queen Charlotte.

The Commander in Chief takes this opportunity of again returning his public thanks to the Admirals, Captains, Officers, seamen, marines, royal marine artillery, royal sappers and miners, and the royal rocket corps, for the noble support he has received from them throughout the whole of this arduous service, and he is pleased to direct, that on Sunday next a public thanksgiving be offered up to Almighty God for the signal interposition of His Divine Providence, during the conflict which took place on the

27th

27th between His Majesty's fleet and the ferocious enemies of mankind.

It is requested that this memorandum may be read to the ships' companies.

To the Admirals, Captains, Officers, Seamen, Marines, Royal Sappers and Miners, Royal Marine Artillery, and the Royal Rocket Corps.

Queen Charlotte, Algiers-Bay,
SIR, *September* 1, 1816.

I HAVE the honour to acquaint you, for their Lordships information, that I have sent Captain Brisbane, with my duplicate dispatches, as I am afraid that Admiral Milne, in the Leander, who has charge of the originals, may experience a long voyage, the wind having set in to the westward a few hours after he sailed.

Captain Brisbane, to whom I feel greatly indebted for his exertions and the able assistance I have received from him throughout the whole of this service, will be able to inform their Lordships upon all points that I may have omitted.

Admiral Sir Charles Penrose arrived too late to take his share in the attack upon Algiers, which I lament, as much on his account as my own; his services would have been desirable in every respect.

I have the satisfaction to state, that all the slaves in the city of Algiers, and immediately in it's vicinity, are embarked; as also three hundred and fifty-seven thousand dollars for Naples, and twenty-five thousand five hundred for Sardinia. The treaties will be signed to-morrow, and I hope to be able to sail in a day or two.

The Minden has sailed for Gibraltar to be refitted, and will proceed from thence to her ultimate destination.

The Albion will be refitted at Gibraltar for the re-

reception of Sir Charles Penrose's flag. The Glasgow I shall be obliged to bring home with me.

I have the honour, &c.

EXMOUTH.

To John Wilson Croker, Esq. &c. &c. &c.
Admiralty.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 21, 1816.

Carlton-House, September 18, 1816.

THIS day His Excellency the Count de Lieven, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the Emperor of All the Russias, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, congratulating His Royal Highness upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Charlotte Augusta with His Serene Highness the Prince Leopold of Saxe Cobourg; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

This day the Baron Fagel, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, Grand Duke of Luxemburg, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from His Sovereign,

vereign, congratulating His Royal Highness upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

This day His Excellency the Marquess D'Osmond, Ambassador from His Most Christian Majesty Louis the Eighteenth, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, congratulating His Royal Highness upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

This day the Prince de Castelcicala, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a let er from His Sovereign, announcing the marriage of His Royal Highness Prince Leopold of the Two Sicilies with Her Imperial Highness the Archduchess Clementina of Austria; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

This day General de Neuffer, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Württemberg, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from His Sovereign, congratulating

His

His Royal Highness upon the marriage of Her Royal Highness the Princess Mary with His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester; to which he was introduced by Lord Viscount Castlereagh, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, September 21, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignity of a Viscount of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Edward Baron Exmouth, Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, and Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, stile, and title of Viscount Exmouth, of Canonteign, in the county of Devon.

Whitehall, September 19, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint David Milne, Esq. Rear-Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Majesty's Fleet, to be a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint the undermentioned Officers of His Majesty's Royal

Navy to be Companions of the said Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, viz.

Captain Charles Ekins.
Captain the Honourable Frederick William Aylmer.
Captain William Furlong Wise.
Captain the Honourable Anthony Maitland.
Captain William Paterson.
Captain John Coode.

Carlton-House, September 18, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Brigadier-General Alexander Bryce, Colonel of the Royal Engineers, a Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of the Royal Sicilian Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, and a Member of the Turkish Order of the Crescent.

Foreign-Office, September 21, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Thomas Fonblanque, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Dunkirk, and the ports and places in the departments of the North, the Straits of Calais, and the Somme.

Whitehall, September 18, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on the night of Friday the 9th ultimo, some evil-disposed

disposed person or persons did wilfully and maliciously set fire to a hay-stack, the property of T. Thurnall and sons, of Dunford, in the county of Cambridge;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to such hay-stack), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by the said Messrs. Thurnall and sons, of Dunford.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 28, 1816.

Admiralty-Office, September 24, 1816.

REAR-ADMIRAL Sir David Milne, K. C. B. has arrived at this Office with the original dispatches of Admiral Lord Viscount Exmouth, relative to his attack on Algiers, the duplicates of which have already appeared in the Gazette Extraordinary of the 15th instant.

He is also the bearer of dispatches from his Lordship, detailing his further proceedings, of which the following is the substance:

On the 28th of August, Treaties of Peace were signed by the Dey with His Majesty, and with His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

On the same day also was signed an additional article or declaration for the abolition of Christian slavery, to the following effect:

DECLARATION of His Most Serene Highness Omar, Bashaw, Dey and Governor of the Warlike City and Kingdom of Algiers, made and concluded with the Right Honourable Edward Baron Exmouth, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Admiral of the Blue Squadron of His Britannic Majesty's Fleet, and Commander in Chief of His said Majesty's Ships and Vessels employed in the Mediterranean.

IN consideration of the deep interest manifested by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent of England for the termination of Christian slavery, His Highness the Dey of Algiers, in token of his sincere

sincere desire to maintain inviolable his friendly relations with Great Britain, and to manifest his amicable disposition and high respect towards the Powers of Europe, declares, that in the event of future wars with any European Power, not any of the prisoners shall be consigned to slavery, but treated with all humanity, as prisoners of war, until regularly exchanged, according to European practice in like cases, and that at the termination of hostilities they shall be restored to their respective countries without ransom; and the practice of condemning Christian prisoners of war to slavery is hereby formally and for ever renounced.

Done in duplicate, in the Warlike City of Algiers, in the presence of Almighty God, the 28th day of August, in the year of Jesus Christ 1816, and in the year of the Hegira 1231, and the 6th day of the moon Shawal.

(The Dey's seal.)

(Signed) EXMOUTH, (L.S.)
Admiral, and Commander in Chief.
(Signed) H. M'DOUELL. (L.S.)

By command of the Admiral,
(Signed) Jos. GRIMES, Secretary.

The Dey also, in presence of his Divan, apologised to the British Consul for the personal restraint which had been imposed upon him during the late transactions; and he also paid to the Consul a sum of three thousand dollars, as a remuneration for depredations committed on his residence after his imprisonment.

After the Treaties and Article before-mentioned had been negociated, and that the Dey had refunded three hundred and eighty-two thousand five hundred dollars, which he had lately received from the Governments of Naples and Sardinia, and had re-

released one thousand and eighty-three Christian slaves who were at Algiers, it came to the knowledge of Lord Exmouth, that two Spaniards, the one a merchant and the other the Vice-Consul of that nation, had not been released, but were still held by the Dey in very severe custody, on pretence that they were prisoners for debt.

The enquiries which his Lordship felt himself called upon to make into these cases, satisfied him that the confinement of the Vice-Consul was groundless and unjustifiable, and he therefore thought himself authorised to demand his release, under the articles of the agreement for the deliverance of all Christian prisoners.

It appeared that the merchant was confined for an alleged debt, on the score of a contract with the Algerine Government; but the circumstances under which the contract was stated to have been forced on the individual, and the great severity of the confinement which he suffered, determined his Lordship to make an effort in his favour also.

This his Lordship did, by requesting his release from the Dey, offering himself to guarantee to the Dey the payment of any sum of money which the merchant should be found to owe to His Highness.

The Dey having rejected this demand and offer, his Lordship, still unwilling to have recourse to extremities, and the renewal of hostilities, proposed that the Spaniards should be released from irons, and the miserable dungeons in which they were confined; and that they should be placed in the custody of the Spanish Consul, or, at least, that the Consul should be permitted to afford them such assistance and accommodation as was suitable to their rank in life.

These propositions the Dey also positively refused; and Lord Exmouth then felt that the private and pecuniary nature of the transactions for which

which these persons were confined must be considered as a pretence for the continuance of a cruel and oppressive system of slavery, the total and bonâ fide abolition of which his instructions directed him to insist upon.

He, therefore, acquainted the Dey, that His Highness having rejected all the fair and equitable conditions proposed to him on this point, his Lordship had determined to insist on the unconditional release of the two Spaniards. He therefore desired an answer, yes or no; and, in the event of the latter, stated, that he would immediately recommence hostilities, and his Lordship made preparations for that purpose.

These measures had the desired effect; and the two persons were released from a long and severe captivity, so that no Christian prisoner remained at Algiers at his Lordship's departure, which took place on the evening of the 3d instant, with all the ships under his orders.

His Lordship states that Rear-Admiral Sir Charles Penrose had joined in the Ister on the 28th, and that he had employed the Rear-Admiral in his discussions with the Dey relative to the Spaniards, and his Lordship gives the highest praise to the prudence, firmness, and ability with which Sir Charles Penrose conducted himself on this occasion.

His Lordship's last letters are dated from Gibraltar the 12th instant, and announce his intention very shortly to sail on his return to England.

The refunded ransoms have been sent to the Neapolitan and Sardinian Governments, and the slaves released have been forwarded in British transports to these respective countries.

Foreign-

Foreign-Office, September 28, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Francis Lascelles, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at L'Orient, and the ports and places in the department of the Morbihan.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Samuel Lowdin Jenkins, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul at Bayonne, and the ports and places in the department of the Lower Pyrennees.

Whitehall, September 25, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to present the Reverend William Canning, Master of Arts, to the rectory of West Heslerton, in the county and diocese of York, void by the death of the Reverend John Foot.

Whitehall, September 27, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Barnes, of Saint Helens, near Prescot, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 1, 1816.

Office of Ordnance, September 28, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of the company of the Royal Artillery, commanded by Brevet Major Holcroft, being permitted to bear on their appointments (in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Royal Regiment of Artillery) the word "*Niagara*," in consideration of the gallantry and good conduct shewn by that company at the capture of Fort Niagara, on the 19th of December 1813, and during the whole of the recent campaign on the Niagara frontier.

Foreign-Office, October 1, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. George Semiri, as Consul at Malta for the Sublime Ottoman Porte.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 5, 1816.

Carlton-House, October 2, 1816.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the Corporation of the City of London, waited upon the Prince Regent with the following Address, which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble, dutiful, and loyal Address of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, most humbly approach your Royal Highness for the purpose of tendering our heartfelt congratulations on occasion of the recent victory obtained by the fleet under the command of Admiral Lord Viscount Exmouth before Algiers, and upon the consequent conclusion of a treaty dictated by your Royal Highness, and manifesting a disinterested generosity peculiarly worthy of a British Prince.

Accustomed to contemplate and admire the vigour of British councils, and the victorious efforts of Bri-

British heroism, in aid of the cause of justice and humanity; and of late years called to these reflections by the splendour of military triumph, we hail with the highest satisfaction the late convincing proof that the spirit which animated a Howe, a St. Vincent, a Duncan, and a Nelson, has descended to their successors; and that to her Navy—the peculiar defence of Britain—she may, under Providence, confide the protection of her rights, and the avengement of her wrongs.

In congratulating your Royal Highness on this great and glorious event, we, with the noble Commander of the expedition, desire to give the glory where it is pre-eminently due; and while we participate in the general joy occasioned by the "bringing to reason a ferocious Government, and destroying for ever the horrid system of Christian slavery," to honour him and his companions in arms, as instruments in effecting the gracious purposes of that Almighty Power who hath taught their "hands to war," and their "fingers to fight."

We highly appreciate the justice of your Royal Highness in the promptitude with which you have conferred honourable distinctions on the noble Commander, and several of the Officers engaged in this most arduous service; in conduct so honourable to your Royal Highness, and in further rewarding such distinguished merit, your Royal Highness and the Legislature will, we are persuaded, be fulfilling the wishes of a loyal and a grateful people.

That under your Royal Highness and your descendants the blessings of our happy Constitution may, to the latest posterity, be continued to this kingdom, is the earnest prayer of His Majesty's faithful citizens of London.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address His Royal Highness was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:

" I return you my warmest thanks for your congratulations on the signal and decisive success which has attended the operations of the fleet under the command of Admiral Lord Viscount Exmouth before Algiers.

" In no instance have the judgment and heroism of a British Commander, and the undaunted spirit and determination of British Officers, seamen, and marines, been more eminently displayed.

" The victory with which it pleased Almighty God to bless their exertions, and the conditions of the treaty of peace to which it instantly led, could not fail to be peculiarly grateful to the feelings of a brave, humane, and free people.

" I have experienced the highest satisfaction in manifesting the just and deep sense which I entertain of the services rendered, not to this country only, but to all the Christian nations of the world, on this ever-memorable occasion."

They were all very graciously received, and had the honour of kissing His Royal Highness's hand.

Carlton-House, October 3, 1816.

This day Monsieur de Friere, Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Portugal and Brassil, had audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to deliver his letter of recal; and Count Palmella, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the same Court, had audience of His Royal Highness to deliver his credentials; to which they were introduced by Earl Bathurst, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carl-

Carlton-House, October 2, 1816.

This day His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to invest Rear-Admiral Sir David Milne with the ensigns of a Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

By command of the Prince Regent, Rear-Admiral Sir David Milne was conducted, with the usual reverences, to His Royal Highness, preceded by Sir George Nayler (the Officer of Arms attendant upon the Knights Commanders), bearing, upon a crimson velvet cushion, the star, ribband, and badge of the second class of the Order.

The sword of state was thereupon delivered to the Prince Regent, and Sir David Milne, kneeling, was knighted therewith, after which he had the honour to kiss His Royal Highness's hand.

Then His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, having received from the Officer of Arms the ribband and badge of a Knight Commander, was pleased to invest Sir David Milne with the same: the Rear-Admiral, having again had the honour to kiss the Prince Regent's hand, and having received from His Royal Highness the star of a Knight Commander, retired.

Whitehall, October 4, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint the Baron Van de Capellen, Vice-Admiral of the Fleet of His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, to be an Honorary Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

Carl-

Carlton-House, September 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, was this day pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon James Brisbane, Esq. Post Captain in the Royal Navy, Captain of His Majesty's ship Queen Charlotte, and a Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

War-Office, September 28, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of permission being granted to the 6th Foot to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Niagara,*" in consideration of the distinguished services of that Regiment on the Niagara frontier during the year 1814.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of permission being granted to the 7th Foot, or Royal Fusileers, to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the words "*Martinique*" and "*Albuera,*" in consideration of the distinguished services of that Corps in the attack and reduction of Martinique in the month of February 1809, and in the battle of Albuera on the 16th May 1811.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of the 8th, or King's, Regiment of Foot being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Martinique,*" in consideration

tion of the distinguished services of that Corps in the attack and reduction of Martinique, in the month of February 1809.

War-Office, September 30, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to command that the 9th, 12th, 16th, and 23d Regiments of Light Dragoons shall be armed and be equipped as Lancers.

Carlton-House, October 1, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Reverend Henry Fielding, M. A. of Worcester College, Oxford, and Rector of Crundall, in the county of Kent and diocese of Canterbury, to be one of His Royal Highness's Chaplains in Ordinary.

Whitehall, October 2, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John England, of the Town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 8, 1816.

Foreign-Office, October 5, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Mr. Joseph Horsford to be Vice-Consul at Weymouth for the kingdom of Hanover.

Whitehall, October 7, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Adam Yates Bird, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 12, 1816.

Whitehall, October 12, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the Reverend William Short, Doctor in Divinity, the place and dignity of a Prebendary of the Collegiate Church of Saint Peter, Westminster, void by the death of Doctor William Bell.

York-House, August 26, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Edward Owen, M.A. late of Trinity College, Cambridge, to be one of His Royal Highness's Domestic Chaplains.

Crown-Office, October 12, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Lincoln.

The Honourable William Cust, of Belton Park, in the county of Lincoln, and of the Inner Temple, London, in the room of Charles Chaplin, Esq. deceased.

Whitehall, October 12, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto John Toup Nicholas, Esq. a Post Captain in the Royal Navy, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and authority, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Commander of the Royal Sicilian Military Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, with which His Majesty Ferdinand the Fourth, King of the Two Sicilies, has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of his royal approbation of the distinguished intrepidity manifested by him while commanding His Majesty's sloop Pilot, in effecting the capture and destruction of several of the enemy's vessels in various actions on the east and west coasts of Calabria in the years 1810, 1811, and 1812; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

White-

Whitehall, October 12, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Archibald Maclaine, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the supernumerary cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, has been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the highly distinguished intrepidity displayed by him in the arduous defence of Fort Matagorda in 1810; in the memorable battle of Barrossa in 1811; and at the capture of Seville in 1812; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 15, 1816.

At the Court at *Carlton-House*, the 14th of *October* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

IT is ordered by His Royal Highness the Prince Regent in Council, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, that the Parliament, which stands prorogued to Monday the fourth day of November next, be further prorogued to Thursday the second day of January next.

Crown-Office, October 15, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Portsmouth.

John Carter, of Portsmouth, in the county of Southampton, Esq. in the room of Sir Thomas Miller, Bart. deceased.

Whitehall, October 15, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Joseph Cantrell, of King's Newton, in the county of Derby, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 19, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au- "thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem- "bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other "provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of the Hon. Charles Herbert, late Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Wilton, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough of Wilton, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 15th day of October 1816, CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Crown-

Crown-Office, October 19, 1816.

MEMBERS returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

City of Gloucester.

Edward Webb, Esq. in the room of Robert Morris, Esq. deceased.

Borough of Dunwich.

The Right Honourable Joshua Lord Huntingfield, of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland, in the room of Joshua Lord Huntingfield, deceased.

Carlton-House, October 16, 1816.

This day His Excellency the Count de Fernan Nunez, Duc de Montellano, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Catholic Majesty, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, to deliver a letter from his Sovereign announcing his marriage with the Infanta of Portugal, Donna Maria Isabel, daughter of His Majesty the King of Portugal; His Excellency was introduced to the audience by Earl Bathurst, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, October 18, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint James Clarke, Esq. Barrister at Law, to be His Majesty's Attorney General in the Isle of Man.

His

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint Mr. William Baillie to be Commissary of the Commissariat of Dumfries, vacant by the death of Mr. James Gilchrist.

Whitehall, October 16, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto the Honourable Arthur Percy Upton, Colonel in the Army, a Brigadier-General on the Continent, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the cross of a Knight of the Royal Bavarian Military Order of Maximilian Joseph, which His Majesty the King of Bavaria, hath been pleased to confer upon that Officer, in testimony of His Royal approbation of the distinguished services rendered by him in the field, while attached to the Bavarian Army in the last campaign; particularly in the action at the passage of the Saare on the 23d June 1815; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

White-

Whitehall, October 18, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Chater, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

ERRATUM in the Gazette Extraordinary of the 15th September 1816.

For *George W. Gunning*, Acting Lieutenant of the Superb, severely wounded,
Read *George Wm. Cumming*, &c.

Whitehall, October 18, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that about four o'clock on Saturday morning the 13th instant, a fire broke out in a barn belonging to W. H. Whittington, Esq. at Broadwater, near Hitchin, Herts, which consumed the same, together with its contents, and sundry corn and hay ricks adjoining, and that there is every reason to believe that the same was wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said barn), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the County Fire-Office to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by T. Barber Beaumont, Managing Director.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 22, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, October 21, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's birth-day, which falls on the 18th of January, will be celebrated by a Drawing-Room at the Queen's Palace, on the 6th of February; and that the birth-day of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent will also be celebrated by a Drawing-Room at Her Majesty's Palace, on St. George's Day, the 23d of April.

It is most earnestly recommended and desired, that the Nobility and Gentry, and all persons attending upon those occasions, will appear in dresses entirely of British manufacture.

Carlton-House, October 21, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate His Excellency the Right Honourable Robert Liston, His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Sublime Ottoman Porte, to be a Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, vacant by the death of the late Sir Robert Gunning.

Foreign-Office, October 22, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. William Davy, as Consul at Kingston-upon-Hull, for the United States of America.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 26, 1816.

Whitehall, October 26, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to constitute and appoint William Edward Powell, Esq. to be His Majesty's Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Cardigan, in the room of Thomas Johnes, Esq. deceased.

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War-Office, October 22, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of permission being granted to the 39th Regiment to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Albuera,*" in consideration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the battle of Albuera, on the 16th May 1811.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 2, 1816.

War-Office, October 29, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to direct, that the appointment of Commissary in Chief should be revoked from the 24th instant.

Whitehall, October 29, 1816.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have appointed John Charles Herries, Esq. late Commissary in Chief, to be Auditor of the Civil List, in pursuance of the Act, 56 Geo. 3. cap. 46.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 5, 1816.

THE Lord Warden of the Stannaries has been pleased to grant to Edward Martin, of Moretonhampstead, in the county of Devon, Esq. the office of Steward of the Stannary Courts of Ashburton, Tavistock, Chagford, and Plympton, and Deputy Steward of the Duchy Manor of South Teigne, in the said county of Devon, vacant by the death of the late Edward Bray, Esq.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 9, 1816.

At the Court at *Carlton-House,* the 14th of *October* 1816,

PRESENT,

His Royal Highness the PRINCE REGENT in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the fifty-sixth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for the making more effectual provision "for the prevention of smuggling, and rewarding "officers and persons making seizures and cap-"turing smuggling vessels, for licencing luggers "employed in the North Sea fishery, and obliging "ex-

" exporters of exciseable goods, on drawback, to " give notice of shipment," it is amongst other things enacted, that every such reward, or part or share of such seizure, or of the value thereof, as shall under or by virtue of this or any other Act, be payable to any officer or officers, non-commissioned officers, petty-officers, seamen, or privates, of His Majesty's army, navy, or marines, or acting under the orders of the Lord High Admiral, or of the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, shall be divided and be distributed in such proportions, and according to such rules, regulations, and orders, as His Majesty shall, by His Order or Orders in Council, or by His Royal Proclamation in that behalf, be pleased to direct or appoint :

And whereas by an Act, passed in the third year of His Majesty's reign, intituled " An Act for the " further improvement of His Majesty's revenue " of customs, and for the encouragement of " officers making seizures, and for the prevention " of the clandestine running of goods into any " part of His Majesty's dominions :"

And whereas by another Act, passed in the fourth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled " An " Act for granting certain duties in the British " colonies and plantations in America, for con- " tinuing, amending, and making perpetual an Act, " passed in the sixth year of the reign of His " late Majesty King George the Second, inti- " tuled ' An Act for the better securing and en- " couraging the trade of His Majesty's sugar " colonies in America, for applying the produce " of such duties, and of the duties to arise " by virtue of the said Act, towards defray- " ing the expenses of defending, protecting, " and securing the said colonies and plantations ;' " for explaining an Act made in the twenty-fifth

" year

"year of the reign of King Charles the Second, "intituled 'An Act for the encouragement of "the Greenland and Eastland trade, and the better "securing the plantation trade; and for altering "and disallowing several drawbacks on exports "from this kingdom, and more effectually pre- "venting the clandestine conveyance of goods to "and from the said colonies and plantations, and "improving and securing the trade between the "same and Great Britain';" by which last recited Acts powers were given to His Majesty, His heirs and successors, to direct and appoint the moiety, or any other part of all and every seizure or seizures, made at sea, under the provisions of the said Act and other Acts therein mentioned, by any of His Majesty's ships or vessels, to be divided amongst the officers and seamen of such ship or vessel of war who shall make any such seizure, in such proportions, and in such manner, as His Majesty, His Heirs and successors, shall think fit to order and direct, by any Order or Orders in Council, or by any Proclamation or Proclamations, to be made or issued from time to time:

And whereas in pursuance of the powers so vested in His Majesty, His Heirs and successors, His Majesty was pleased, by Order in Council, bearing date the twelfth day of October in the year one thousand seven hundred and sixty-four, to order, direct, and appoint a scale of distribution accordingly:

And whereas it will be expedient that the scale of distribution so ordered, directed, and appointed for seizures under the revenue laws, and also for seizures under the navigation laws, shall be revoked and annulled; and that the rules and regulations hereinafter ordered, directed, and appointed, shall be substituted and adopted in lieu thereof; His Royal Highness the Prince Regent having taken the same into consideration, is thereupon

pleased,

pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, directed, and appointed, that the said before-mentioned Order in Council be henceforth revoked and annulled, and the same is hereby revoked and annulled accordingly:

And it is further ordered, directed, and appointed, that all shares of any such seizures as are or shall, by virtue of the aforesaid Acts, or either of them, or any other Acts relating to the trade or revenues of His Majesty's dominions, be payable to and among the commanders, officers, and crews of any of His Majesty's ships or vessels of war, shall be divided and distributed in the following manner, viz.

That the produce of such seizures, so payable as aforesaid, shall be divided into eight equal parts.

The captain or captains of any of His Majesty's ships or sloops of war, or officers commanding such ships or vessels who shall be actually on board at the time of making any such seizure, shall have three of the said eighth parts; but if such ships or vessels shall be under the command of a flag or flags, the flag-officer or officers so commanding shall have one of the said three eighth parts, and the captain or captains the other two.

The sea lieutenants, captains of marines, and land forces serving as marines, and master on board, shall have one eighth part, to be equally divided amongst them.

The lieutenants and quarter masters of marines, and lieutenants and ensigns and quarter masters of land forces serving as marines, secretaries of admirals or of commodores, with captains under them, such secretaries being present at the seizure, second masters, chaplains, pursers, surgeons,

geons, boatswains, gunners, carpenters, master's mates, and pilots, who shall be on board, shall have one eighth part, to be equally divided amongst them.

The first class of petty officers, namely, Admiralty midshipmen, midshipmen, assistant surgeons, secretaries' clerks, captains' clerks, schoolmasters, masters at arms, armourers, caulkers, rope-makers, sail-makers, carpenters' mates, boatswains' mates, gunners' mates, ships' corporals, quarter masters, captain's coxswains, coxswains of the launch, coxswains of the pinnace, yeomen of the signals, captains of the hold, captains of the forecastle, serjeants of marines and land forces, if serving as marines, shall have one eighth part, to be equally divided amongst them.

The other two eighth parts of the seizure to be divided into shares and distributed to the persons composing the remaining part of the crew or crews, in the following proportions, viz.

The second class of petty officers, namely, coopers, armourers' mates, caulkers' mates, sail-makers' mates, captains of the foretop, captains of the maintop, captains of the after guard, captains of the mast, ship's cook, corporals of marines and of land forces, if serving as marines, four shares each.

To the volunteers of the first class, the gunner's crew, carpenter's crew, sail-maker's crew, cooper's crew, able seamen, boatswains' yeomen, gunners' yeomen, carpenters' yeomen, ordinary seamen, drummers, private marines, and other soldiers, if serving as marines, three shares each.

To the landmen, admirals' domestics, and all other ratings not above enumerated, together with all passengers and other persons borne as supernumeraries, and doing duty and assisting on board

board (excepting officers acting by order, who are to receive the share of that rank on which they shall be acting), two shares each.

And the boys of every description, one share each.

Secondly—In the cases of seizures made by the officers and men of cutters, schooners, brigs, and other armed vessels of war, commanded by lieutenants, the produce being divided as before into eight parts, the lieutenant or lieutenants to have three eighth parts, unless under the command of a flag officer or officers, in which case such flag officer or officers to have one eighth part, and the lieutenant or lieutenants the other two.

The share of the master and pilot to be one eighth part; the said eighth part, if there be both a master and a pilot on board, to be divided into three parts, of which two are to be taken by the master, and one by the pilot.

But if there be only a master and no pilot, then the master to take the whole eighth; if there be only a pilot, then such pilot to have one half of the eighth, and the other half to go to Greenwich-Hospital.

The surgeon (or surgeon's assistant, where there is no surgeon), master's mate, Admiralty midshipmen, midshipmen, and clerks, to have one eighth part.

The first class of petty officers, namely, sailmakers, gunners' mates, boatswains' mates, carpenters' mates, quarter master, captain of the forecastle, and serjeants of marines or land forces, serving as marines, shall have one eighth part, to be equally divided amongst them; the remaining two eighth parts to be divided into shares, and distributed to the other part of the crew in the following proportions, viz.

To the second class of petty officers, namely, captain of the foretop, captain of the mast, and corporals of marines, four shares each.

To the volunteers of the first class, able seamen, ordinary seamen, and marines, and soldiers serving as marines, three shares each.

To the landmen and all other ratings, not before enumerated, together with passengers and other persons borne as supernumeraries, doing duty and assisting on board, two shares each.

Boys of all descriptions, one share each.

Thirdly—In the cases of seizures made by His Majesty's revenue cruizers, under the direction of the Admiralty:

The produce being divided as before, into eight parts, the commander or commanders of the cruizer or cruizers making the seizure, or of the cruizer or cruizers aiding and assisting therein, to have three of the said eighth parts; but if such cruizer or cruizers shall be under the command of a flag or flags, the flag officer or officers, so commanding, to have one of the said three eighth parts, and the commander or commanders the other two.

The first mate, or first mates, and the pilot of such cruizer or cruizers, to have one eighth part; such part to be divided into shares, of which the first mate or mates (if more than one) shall have two shares each, and the pilot one share; but if there be no pilot, the first mate or mates, if more than one, shall take the whole eighth in equal shares; but if there be a pilot and no mate, he shall take one half of the eighth, and the other half shall go to Greenwich Hospital.

And the remaining four eighth parts to be divided into shares, and distributed to the other part of the crew or crews, in the following proportions, viz.

To

To the second mate or mates, three shares each.
To the deputed mariner or mariners; two shares each.
To the seamen, one share each.
And to the boys half a share each.

Fourthly—But this distribution is only to extend to such seizures as shall be made by any cutter, schooner, brig, or armed vessel of war, or any revenue cruizer, without any of His Majesty's ships or vessels, commanded by captains or commanders, being present and aiding and assisting in the seizure.

In case any such ship or vessel should be present and aiding and assisting in the seizure, then the officer, pilots, petty officers, and men on board such cutters, schooners, brigs or armed vessels, are to share in the same proportions as is allowed to persons of the like rank and denomination on board His Majesty's ships and vessels, commanded by captains and commanders; and the officers and men of such revenue cruizers, are to share as a King's vessel would, agreeably to the following scheme of classification:

Commander of such revenue cruizer, with the lieutenant; first mate and pilot, with the master and pilot; second mate, with the first class of petty officers; deputed mariners, with the second class of petty officers; seamen with able seamen, ordinary seamen, and marines.
Boys with boys.

Fifthly—In all cases of seizures, such officers or seamen as may be absent upon ship duty or revenue business, connected with the station upon which such ship or vessel is placed, shall be entitled to their respective shares, in the same manner as if they had been actually on board at the time of making the seizure.

And all seizures made by tenders employed by order of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, or boats and officers belonging to and detached from His Majesty's ships and vessels or revenue cruizers, are to be shared by the officers and men of the ship, or vessel, to which such tender, boat, or officers belong, in the same manner as if the seizure were made by the said ship or vessel.

Sixthly—In all cases in which supernumeraries, whether officers or men, shall be borne by order of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, they shall share, with the respective ranks in which they may be acting.

Seventhly—The following regulations to be established with respect to the share before-mentioned to be given to the flag officer or officers under whose command the capturing vessel may be.

That a captain of a ship or commander of a vessel shall be deemed to be under the command of a flag, when he shall have actually received some order directly from, or be acting in execution of some order issued by a flag officer; and in the event of his being directed to join a flag officer on any station, he shall be deemed to be under the command of such flag officer from the time when he arrives within the limits of the station, and shall be considered to continue under the command of the flag officer of such station until such captain or other commander shall have received some order directly from, or be acting in execution of some order issued by some other flag officer, or the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

That a flag officer, commander in chief, when there is but one flag officer upon service, shall have to his own use the one third part of the said three eighths

eighths of the seizures made by ships and vessels under his command.

That when vessels under the command of several flags, which belong to separate stations, shall happen to be joint captors, the captain of each ship shall pay one third of the share to which he is entitled to the flag officers of the station to which he belongs; but the captains of vessels under Admiralty orders, being joint captors with other vessels under a flag, shall retain the whole of their share.

That if a flag officer is sent to command in the out-ports of this kingdom, he shall have no share in the seizures made by ships or vessels which have sailed, or shall sail, from that port by order from the Admiralty.

That when more flag officers than one serve together, the one third part of the three eighths of the seizures made by any ships or vessels of the fleet or squadron shall be divided in the following proportions, viz.

If there be but two flag officers, the chief shall have two third parts of the said third of three eighths, and the other shall have the remaining third part; but if the number of flag officers be more than two, the chief shall have only one half, and the other half shall be equally divided amongst the junior flag officers.

That commodores, with captains under them, shall be esteemed as flag officers, with respect to the one third of the three eighth parts of seizures made, whether commanding in chief or serving under command.

That the first captain to the admiral and commander in chief of His Majesty's fleet, and also the first captain to a flag officer appointed, or hereafter to be appointed to command a fleet or squadron of ten ships of the line of battle, or upwards, shall be deemed and taken to be a

flag

flag officer, and shall be entitled to a part or share of seizures, as the junior flag officer of such fleet or squadron.

Eighthly—In case any difficulty shall arise in respect to the aforementioned scheme for general distribution, not herein sufficiently provided for, the same shall be referred to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, whose direction thereupon shall be final, and have the same force and effect as if herein inserted.

Lastly—With regard to the preparations of the lists for the distribution of seizures;

That the captains and commanders of His Majesty's ships and vessels of war, and of the revenue cruizers, shall, on making any seizure, transmit as soon as may be, or cause to be transmitted, to the Commissioners of the Navy, or in the case of revenue cruizers, to the Commissioners of Customs or Excise in London, Edinburgh, or Dublin, according to the department from which they may receive their pay, a true list of the names of all the officers, seamen, marines, soldiers, and others who were actually on board of His Majesty's ships or vessels of war, or the said revenue cruizers, under their command at the time of the seizure, and also those who were absent on duty as before mentioned; which list shall contain the quality of the service of each person on board, together with the description of the men, taken from the description books of the capturing vessel or vessels, and their several ratings, and be subscribed by the captain or commanding officer, and three or more of the chief officers on board.

And the Commissioners of the Navy, or any three or more of them, or the Commissioners of the Customs or Excise in London, Edinburgh or Dublin, shall examine, or cause to be examined

mined, such lists, by the muster-books of such ships and vessels of war and revenue cruizers, and lists annexed thereto, to see that such lists do agree with such muster-books, and annexed list, as to the names, qualities, or ratings of the officers, seamen, marines, soldiers and others belonging to such ships and vessels of war and revenue cruizers, and upon request, shall forthwith grant a certificate, signed by any three or more of them, of the truth of any list transmitted to them, to the agents nominated and appointed by the seizors; and also upon application to them, the said Commissioners shall give or cause to be given to the said agents, all such lists from the muster-books of any such ships of war and revenue cruizers, and annexed lists, as the said agent shall find requisite for their direction in making distribution to the parties entitled to share in the produce of such seizures, and otherwise be aiding and assisting to the said agents in all such matters as shall be necessary.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to cause His Royal Highness's pleasure, hereby signified, to be duly complied with. *Jas. Buller.*

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as au"thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons "to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown "for making out writs for the election of Mem"bers to serve in Parliament in the manner "therein mentioned; and for substituting other

"pro-

" provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable William Beauchamp Lygon, commonly called Viscount Elmley, late Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Worcester, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to whom a writ of summons hath been issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to summon him to Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county of Worcester, in the room of the said Honourable William Beauchamp Lygon, Viscount Elmley, now a Peer of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and to whom a writ of summons hath been issued as aforesaid, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 8th day of November 1816, CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Foreign-Office, November 9, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Frederick Lindeman, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul-General in Sicily.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Adolphus Palmedo, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul in the island of Corsica.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 9, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, November 11, 1816.

ORDERS for the Court's going into mourning, on Thursday next the 14th instant, for the late King of Wirtemberg, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, plain muslin or long lawn, crape or love hoods, black silk shoes, black glazed gloves, and black paper fans.

Undress—Black or dark grey unwatered tabbies.

The Gentlemen to wear black cloth, without buttons on the sleeves or pockets, plain muslin or long lawn cravats and weepers, black swords and buckles.

Undress—Dark grey frocks.

The Court to change the mourning on Thursday the 12th of December next, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk, fringed or plain linen, white gloves, necklaces and ear-rings, black or white shoes, fans and tippets.

Undress—White or grey lustrings, tabbies or damasks.

The Gentlemen to wear black, full trimmed, fringed or plain linen, black swords and buckles.

Undress—Grey frocks.

The Court to change the mourning further on Thursday the 26th of December next, viz.

The Ladies to wear black silk or velvet, coloured ribbons, fans and tippets, or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuffs, with black ribbons.

The Gentlemen to wear black coats, and black or plain white, or white and gold, or white and silver stuff waiscoats, full trimmed, coloured swords and buckles.

And on Thursday the 9th of January next, the Court to go out of mourning.

India-Board, Whitehall, November 8, 1816.

A DISPATCH, dated Fort William, 30th of March 1816, has been received at the East India-House from the Governor-General in Council, with inclosures, of which the following are extracts and copies:

THE early receipt by your Honourable Committee, of the important intelligence of the conclusion of peace with the State of Nepaul, has appeared to us to be of such importance as to induce us to dispatch the Honourable Company's cruizer Malabar to England without delay, for the express purpose of conveying that intelligence.

We have already, in our dispatch of the 11th instant, expressed our high sense of the merits and services of Sir David Ochterlony, and the gallantry, spirit and zeal of the troops under his command; we now solicit the attention of your Honourable Committee to a General Order, published by the Governor-General in Council, on the 20th instant, in which we have promulgated to the army those sentiments of applause and admiration, which

which the conduct of that distinguished officer, and the forces acting under his orders, has so justly excited; we have deemed it proper to mark our peculiar sense of the zeal, bravery and endurance, under considerable privations, manifested by the native troops, in a service so singularly foreign to their habits, by the distribution of silver medals to the Native Commissioned Officers, and to such of the Non-commissioned Officers and Privates, as shall be recommended by the Commanders of their respective battalions, for conspicuous zeal or gallantry.

The early termination of the war prevented the employment of either of the detachments assembled under the command of Major-General John Wood and Colonel Nicolls, as well as the projected move of Lieutenant-Colonel Adams, from Kemaon on the back of the Goorkha positions. Those Officers had respectively assumed the command of their detachments, and were proceeding to the destined quarters in which their operations were to be directed, when information of the conclusion of Peace was received by them: the corps composing these detachments have separated, and retired to their several stations.

The operations of the Siccem Rajah's troops had been continued with tolerable success, and with a view to support them, and to encourage the revolt of the Kerauts against the Nepaulese Government, Captain Latter had entered the hills with a portion of the force under his command, and advanced to within three miles of the Fort of Nuggur, which the Siccem troops had invested. In this position he received from Sir David Ochterlony intelligence of the conclusion of Peace, and he accordingly directed a cessation of hostilities on the part of the troops of Siccem, and discontinued all the proceedings which he had commenced against the Goorkah government and troops. The

conduct of Captain Latter in these transactions appears to have been marked with his usual judgment, discretion and zeal.

General Order by the Governor-General in Council, Fort William, 20th April, 1816.

The Military operations against the State of Nepaul, having been brought to a triumphant close, the Governor-General in Council has peculiar pleasure in offering a public acknowledgment to the merits of those by whom this campaign has been so speedily and decisively terminated.

The zeal, the judgment, and the energy of Major-General Sir D. Ochterlony, have been brilliantly conspicuous in the late operations. He has afforded a fresh and most instructive lesson to the troops, that vigour united with science, regards no obstacles as embarrassing, but will with ease and security master difficulties, which to a superficial view appear insurmountable.

Brigadier Kelly, by the able and gallant manner in which he achieved the arduous task assigned to him, and Brigadier Nicol, by the judicious and active management of his column, have entitled themselves to a distinction beyond the praise of that Order, which they share in common with the rest of the army; and the Governor-General in Council assures them, that he duly estimates their exertions.

Lieutenant-Colonels Miller, Burnet and O'Halloran, having been specially noticed for their conduct in action, they are requested to believe that the Governor-General in Council has observed their laudable efforts with just approbation.

To particularize others, where all have merited applause so highly, would entail the objection, that wheresoever the discrimination should stop, those not named might appear to have deserved less. The Governor-General in Council therefore en-

entreats the Staff, the Officers, Native, as well as European, the Non-commissioned Officers, and the Soldiers of the Dinapore Division, to be persuaded that he contemplates with admiration the patience under uncommon fatigues, the cheerful endurance of unusual privations, and the animated courage manifested by all descriptions in the Division. The whole of that force may indulge the gratifying reflection of having worthily fulfilled their duty to the State; and they will necessarily retain a proud confidence in their own powers.

Any, the most limited loss of such brave men, must be regarded with sincere concern. The regret universally manifested at the fate of Lieutenant Tirrell, in which Government deeply participates, will prove to young Officers, how widely they may excite interest and estimation, while yet in a Subaltern rank, by a zeal and intrepidity similar to those which distinguished him. But the comparatively small expense of such valuable lives, with which the service has been accomplished, is matter of consolation, and is a circumstance which in the opinion of the Governor-General in Council, reflects singular credit on the conduct of the operations:

The management of the Medical Departments attending the Field Force, was truly honourable to all those concerned in their several gradations of function.

These acknowledgments ought not to be closed without an advertence to the claims of those, who, though not actually serving with the Divisions employed during the two campaigns, essentially promoted the success of the public efforts.

The admirable management of Lieutenant-Colonel Weguelin and Major Lumsdaine, in the Commissariat, has already received the due tribute of applause.

To

To Lieutenant-Colonel Fagan and the Officers under him, in the Adjutant-General's Department, on whom in the execution of the Commander in Chief's orders, devolved the principal labour of detail, in the preparation of the troops for the field, and in many subsequent provisions, the obligations of Government are unfeignedly felt. Though circumstances did not throw an equal share of occupation and responsibility on other Staff Departments, the respective duties of the Quarter-Master-General, and Deputy Quarter-Master-General, of the Adjutant-General and Quarter-Master-General of His Majesty's Troops, and of the Military Secretary to the Commander in Chief, were multiplied extraordinarily in a season of such active and extensive arrangement. The quality of the application exerted, which the Governor-General in Council is satisfied must be amply understood by all who have considered the equipment and combinations of the forces during this contest, has tended materially to the advantageous result of the different enterprizes. The Governor-General in Council, therefore feels it but justice to include the Officers of those departments in this profession, of the high approbation with which Government wishes to mark the conduct of the Force on actual service in the late war.

The nature of the country and the climate were so novel to the Native troops, that a greater degree of merit must be attached to intrepidity under such circumstances, at the same time that a testimonial of examplary behaviour in such a service, must have more than ordinary value to those on whom it may be bestowed. Government has therefore determined that Silver Medals shall be presented to every Native Officer, who actually served within the Hills; and to as many of the Non-commissioned Officers and Privates as shall be recommended

mended by the Commanders of their respective Battalions, for distinguished zeal or gallantry in the course of that duty.

By Command of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council,

J. ADAM, Secretary to the Government.

TREATY of PEACE between the Honourable East-India Company and Maharajah Bikram Shah, Rajah of Nepaul, settled between Lieutenant-Colonel Bradshaw, on the part of the Honourable Company, in virtue of the full powers vested in him by his Excellency the Right Honourable Francis Earl of Moira, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, one of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, appointed by the Court of Directors of the said Honourable Company to direct and control all the affairs in the East Indies, and by Sree Gooroo Gujraj Misser and Chunder Seekur Opadheea, on the part of Maharajah Girinaun, Jode Bikram Sah Behauder Shumseer Jung, in virtue of the powers to that effect vested in them by the said Rajah of Nepaul.

WHEREAS war has arisen between the Honourable East-India Company and the Rajah of Nepaul; and whereas the parties are mutually disposed to restore the relations of peace and amity, which previously to the occurrence of the late differences, had long subsisted between the two States, the following terms of Peace have been agreed upon:

Art. I. There shall be perpetual peace and friendship between the Honourable East-India Company and the Rajah of Nepaul.

Art. II. The Rajah of Nepaul renounces all claim to the lands which were the subject of discussion between the two States, before the war,

war, and acknowledges the right of the Honourable Company to the sovereignty of those lands.

Art. III. The Rajah of Nepaul hereby cedes to the Honourable the East-India Company, in perpetuity, all the under-mentioned territories, namely;

First, The whole of the low lands between the rivers Kali and Rapti.

Secondly, The whole of the low lands (with the exception of Bootwul Khass), lying between the Rapti and the Gunduck.

Thirdly, The whole of the low lands between the Gunduck and Coosah, in which the authority of the British Government has been introduced, or is in actual course of introduction.

Fourthly, All the low lands between the river Meitchee and the Teestah.

Fifthly, All the territories with the hills eastward of the river Meitchee, including the fort and lands of Nagree, and the pass of Nagarcote, leading from Morung into the hills, together with the territory lying between that pass and Naggree. The aforesaid territory shall be evacuated by the Goorkah troops within forty days from this date.

Art. IV. With a view to indemnify the Chiefs and Barahdars of the state of Nepaul, whose interests will suffer by the alienation of the lands ceded by the foregoing Article, the British Government agrees to settle pensions to the aggregate amount of two lacks of rupees per annum, on such Chiefs as may be selected by the Rajah of Nepaul, and in the proportions which the Rajah may fix. As soon as the selection is made, Surmeeds shall be granted under the seal and signature of the Governor-General for the pensions respectively.

Art. V. The Rajah of Nepaul renounces for himself, his heirs and successors, all claim to or connection with the countries lying to the West of the

the River Kali, and engages never to have any concern with those countries or the inhabitants thereof.

Art. VI. The Rajah of Nepaul engages, never to molest or disturb the Rajah of Siccurn in the possession of his territories, but agrees that if any differences shall arise between the State of Nepaul and the Rajah of Siccurn or the subjects of either, that such differences shall be referred to the arbitration of the British Government, by whose award the Rajah of Nepaul engages to abide.

Art. VII. The Rajah of Nepaul hereby engages never to take, or retain, in his service, any British subject, nor the subject of any European or American State, without the consent of the British Government.

Art. VIII. In order to secure and improve the relations of amity and peace hereby established between the two States, it is agreed that accredited Ministers from each, shall reside at the Court of the other.

Art. IX. This Treaty, consisting of nine articles, shall be ratified by the Rajah of Nepaul, within fifteen days from this date; and the Ratification shall be delivered to Lieutenant-Colonel Bradshaw, who engages to obtain and deliver to the Rajah, the Ratification of the Governor-General, within tweny days, or sooner, if practicable.

(Rajah of Nepaul's Seal.) Done at Soogoulee on the 2nd day of December, 1815.

(L. S.) (Signed) Paris Bradshaw, Lieutenant-Colonel, P. A.

(L. S.) Gooroo Gujraj Misser.

(L. S.) Chunder Seekur Opadheea.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 12, 1816.

War-Office, November 12, 1816.

MEMORANDUM.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of permission being granted to the 48th Regiment of Infantry, to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the Regiment, the word "*Talavera,*" in consideration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that Regiment in the battle of Talavera, on the 27th and 28th July 1809.

Whitehall, November 11, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on Wednesday night the 6th instant, between the hours of ten and eleven, a barn, contiguous to a farm house, in the parish of Westwood, near Trowbridge, in the county of Wilts, belonging to George Hayward Tugwell, Esq. was discovered to be on fire, which soon communicating to another barn, both of them were totally consumed, together with about one hundred and fifty sacks of wheat, and a threshing machine, in one barn, and three or four loads of oats in the straw, and a small quantity of barley and peas, in the other; and whereas it hath been further represented unto His

His Royal Highness, that, at the same time the above-mentioned fire was raging, a barley rick on the same farm, but about a quarter of a mile distant, was likewise observed to be on fire in four places, which was also totally consumed; and that there is every reason to believe the same were wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the person or persons concerned in such felonies, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually set fire to the said barn or rick), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the said Mr. Tugwell, to any person or persons (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the offender or offenders to conviction, or cause him, her, or them to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 16, 1816.

THE names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Lords of the Council, at the Exchequer, on the Morrow of Saint Martin, in the fifty-seventh year of the reign of King George the Third, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

Bedfordshire,	Samuel Crawley, of Stockwood, Esq.
	The Honourable Samuel Ongley, of Sandy.
	John Pedley, of Eaton Bray, Esq.
Berkshire,	William Stone, of Englefield, Esq.
	Atkins Edwin Martin Atkins, of Kingston Lisle, Esq.
	Robert Palmer, of Holme Park, Esq.
Buckinghamshire,	William Pigott, of Doddershall, Esq.
	George Carrington, of Missenden Abbey, Esq.
	George Hassell, of Cholesbury, Esq.
Camb' & Hunt'	Thomas Spooner, of Hill House, Ely Esq.
	Owen Gray, of March, Esq.
	Richard Orton, of Upwell, Esq.

Cheshire,

Cheshire,	Sir Richard Brooke, of Norton Priory, Bart.
	Sir John Delves Broughton, of Doddington, Bart.
	John Smith Barry, of Marbury, Esq.
Cumberland,	Wilfred Lawson, of Brayton House, Esq.
	Sir Philip Musgrave, of Eden Hall, Bart.
	Milham Hartley, of Rose-Hill, Esq.
Derbyshire,	John Charles Girardot, of Allestree, Esq.
	Thomas Hallowes, of Glasswell, Esq.
	John Toplis, of Wirksworth, Esq
Devonshire,	Sir James Hamlyn Williams, of Clovelly, Bart.
	Sir Walter Roberts, of Courtland, Bart.
	Charles Hoare, of Dawlish, Esq.
Dorsetshire,	Sir William Oglander, of Parnham, Bart.
	Joseph Hardy, of Charminster, Esq.
	George Purling, of Bradford, Esq.
Essex,	John Hall, of Woodford, Esq.
	John Theophilus Daubuz, of Layton, Esq
	Sir Thomas Neave, of Dagnams, Bart.
Gloucestershire,	Sir Henry Cann Lippincott, of Stoke Bishop, Bart.

Sir

	Sir Edwin Bayntun Sandys, of Misserden Park, Bart.
	William Fitzharding Berkeley, of Berkeley Castle, Esq.
Herefordshire,	William Chute Hayton, of Moreton-Court, Esq.
	Tomkyns Dew, of Whitney-Court, Esq.
	John Williams, of Willcroft, Esq.
Hertfordshire,	Edmund Morris, of Charley-wood, Esq.
	Francis Waddington, of Walkern, Esq.
	Matthew Wiggins, of Abbots Langley, Esq.
Kent,	William Alexander Morland, of Lamberhurst, Esq.
	The Honourable John Wingfield Stratford, of Addington-Place.
	John Hobday Lade, of Boughton-under-Blean, Esq.
Leicestershire,	Clement Winstanley, of Braunston, Esq.
	Sir George Howland Beaumont, of Coleorton, Bart.
	Sir Charles Palmer, of Wanlip, Bart.
Lincolnshire,	Sir John Hayford Thorold, of Syston Hall, Bart.
	Sir Gilbert Sheffield, of Normanby Hall, Bart.
	Charles Chaplin, of Blankney, Esq.
Monmouthshire,	Andrew Edwards Butler, of Caerleon, Esq.

Robert

	Robert Thompson, of Tintern Abbey, Esq.
	John Bowsher, of Chepstow, Esq.
Norfolk,	Henry Negus Burroughes, of Burlingham, Esq.
	Robert Fellowes, of Shottisham, Esq.
	Sir Charles Chad, of Thurston, Bart.
Northamptonshire,	Sir Charles Knightley, of Fawsley Park, Bart.
	Sir George Robinson, of Cranford, Bart.
	Richard Howard Vyse, of Boughton, Esq.
Northumberland,	Sir Thomas John Clavering, of Harwood Skeels, Bart.
	William Ord, of Nunney Kirk, Esq.
	Calverley Bewicke, of Close House, Esq.
Nottinghamshire,	Thomas Blackborne Hildyard, of Flintham, Esq.
	Henry Galley Knight, of Langold, Esq.
	Henry Walker, of Blyth, Esq.
Oxfordshire,	James Carey Willington, of Coggs, Esq.
	Philip Lybbe Powys, of Hardwick, Esq.
	Joseph Henley, of Water Perry, Esq.
Rutlandshire,	John Wingfield, of Tickencote, Esq.
	Thomas Falder Baines, of Morcott, Esq.

Robert

	Robert Peach, of Lyddington, Esq.
Shropshire,	William Ormsby Gore, of Porkington, Esq.
	Edward William Smythe Owen, of Condover Park, Esq.
	Thomas Botfield, of Hopton Court, Esq.
Somersetshire,	Philip John Miles, of Wraxnell, Esq.
	William Ashford Sandford, of Ninehead, Esq.
	John Evered, of Hill, Esq.
Staffordshire,	Thomas Kirkpatrick Hall, of Holly-Bush, Esq.
	Edward Trafford Nicholls, of Swithamley Park, Esq.
	Moreton Walhouse, of Hatherton, Esq.
County of Southampton,	Sir John Walter Pollen, of Redenham, Bart.
	John Fleming, of Stoneham Park, Esq.
	Richard Goodlad, of Hall Place, Esq
Suffolk,	Sir Robert Harland, of Nacton, Bart.
	Charles Berners, of Woolverstone, Esq.
	John Thurston, of Market Weston, Esq.
Surrey,	Thomas Lett the younger, of Dulwich, Esq.
	Henry Peters, of Betchworth Castle, Esq.
	William Speer, of Thames Ditton, Esq.

Sussex,

Sussex,	James Cranbourne Strode, of Frant, Esq.
	John King, of Loxwood, Esq.
	John Wood, of Chestham, Esq.
Warwickshire,	Sir Grey Skipwith, of Alverston, Bart.
	The Honourable Henry Verney, of Compton Verney.
	Robert Viner, of Enthrop, Esq.
Wiltshire,	John Hungerford Penruddock, of Compton, Esq.
	Alexander Powell, of Hurdcott, Esq.
	John Long, of Monkton Farleigh, Esq.
Worcestershire,	Samuel Wall, of Worcester, Esq.
	John Taylor, of Yardley, Esq.
	John Jeffreys, of Blakebrook, Esq.
Yorkshire,	Sir William Mordaunt Milner, of Nun Appleton, Bart.
	Sir William Ingilby, of Ripley, Bart.
	John Yorke, of Richmond, Esq.

PRINCE OF WALES'S COUNCIL.

November 12, 1816.

COUNTY OF CORNWALL.

The names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Council of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, at His Royal Highness's

Council-Chamber, Somerset-Place, on Tuesday the twelfth day of November, in the fifty-seventh year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen:

Francis Hearle Rodd, of Trebartha-Hall, Esq.
Sir Joseph Copley, of Bake, Bart.
Joseph Sawle Graves, of Penrice, Esq.

The names of the several persons nominated by the Chief Justices of the respective Circuits in Wales, as proper persons to serve the Office of Sheriff for the ensuing year, for the respective counties following:

SOUTH WALES.

Carmarthen,	Sackville Gwynne, of Glanbrane, Esq. John Stewart, of Heolddu, Esq. George Lloyd, of Brunant, Esq.
Pembroke,	Charles Mathias, of Langwarren, Esq. John Beynon, of Trewerne, Esq. John Edmund Phillips Laugharne, of Pontvane, Esq.
Cardigan,	George Jeffrys, of Garrey, Esq. Jenkin Davies, of Glanrhocca, Esq. George Price, of Pigeonsford, Esq.
Glamorgan,	Thomas Bates Rous, of Court Yralla, Esq. John Richards, of Landaff, Esq.

Richard

	Richard Blakemore, of Velindra, Esq.
Brecon,	John Gwyme, of Wornvale House, Esq.
	Charles Claude Clifton, of Trey Mawr, Esq.
	William Lewis Hopkins, of Aberannel, Esq.
Radnor,	Penry Powell, of Penn Llan, Esq.
	Peter Rickards Minors, of Evingobb, Esq.
	James Watt, of Badland, Esq.

NORTH WALES.

Merioneth,	John Evans, of Hendremorfydd, Esq.
	William Ormsby Gore, of Glynn, Esq.
	Edward Pugh Owen, of Caerberllann, Esq.
Carnarvon,	Joseph Huddart, of Brynkir, Esq.
	Daniel Vawdry, of Plasgwynnant, Esq.
	John Lloyd, of Trallwyn, Esq.
Anglesey,	Rice Thomas, of Cemaes, Esq.
	John Price, of Cadnant, Esq.
	John Bradley, of Porth longdu, Esq.
Montgomery,	David Pugh, of Bryn derwyn, Esq.
	Richard Price, of Gunley, Esq.
	John Evans, of Machynlleth, Esq.

(except the person who actually committed the same) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered by the gentlemen residing in the neighbourhood of Silsden, to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid; such reward to be paid by J. A. Busfield, Esq.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 25, 1816.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, November 23, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that three weeks of the present Court Mourning, to commence on Thursday next the 28th instant, will be for His late Serene Highness the Grand Duke of Mecklenburgh Strelitz, brother to the Queen, as well as for the late King of Wirtemberg.

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Whitehall, November 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Lieutenant-General Sir James Leith, Commander of His Majesty's Forces in the West Indies, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the grand cordon of the Order of Military Merit of France, with which His Most Christian Majesty hath been pleased to honour him, as a mark of the high sense entertained by that Sovereign of the great zeal, ability, and energy manifested by the said Sir James Leith in the month of August 1815, throughout the arduous operations whereby, with the forces under his command, he effected the surrender of the important island of Guadaloupe, and secured the French colonies in the West Indies to the Crown of France:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, November 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Robert Travers, Esq. Colonel in the Army, Lieutenant-Colonel of the 10th (or North Lincolnshire) Regiment of Foot, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear

wear the cross of a Commander of the Royal Sicilian Military Order of St. Ferdinand and of Merit, with which His Majesty the King of the Two Sicilies hath been pleased to honour him, as a testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the distinguished gallantry displayed by the said Colonel Travers in the field in different affairs with the enemy while commanding the advanced guard of the Anglo-Sicilian army on the coasts of Italy; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, November 20, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to give and grant unto Dudley St. Leger Hill, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Colonel in the Portuguese Service, and Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Majesty the King of Portugal hath been pleased to honour him, as a testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the great courage and intrepidity displayed by the said Lieutenant-Colonel in several actions with the enemy in the

the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Foreign-Office, November 23, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of Mr. Thomas Auldjo, as Consul at Cowes for the United States of America.

Whitehall, November 16, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Robert John Turner, of the city of Norwich, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, November 21, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Whitehead, of Haslingden, in the county of Lancaster, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 26, 1816.

By His Royal Highness the PRINCE of WALES, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in the Name and on the Behalf of His Majesty,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE, P. R.

WHEREAS the Parliament stands prorogued to Thursday the second day of January next, We, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice of His Majesty's Privy Council, do hereby publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall be further prorogued on the said second day of January to Tuesday the twenty-eighth day of the said month; and We have given order to the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Great Britain, to prepare a Commission for proroguing the same accordingly. And We do further hereby, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, and by and with the advice aforesaid, publish and declare, that the said Parliament shall, on the twenty-eighth day of January next, be held and sit for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs: And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said twenty-eighth day of January next.

Given

Given at the Court at Carlton-House, the twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, in the fifty-seventh year of His Majesty's reign.

GOD save the KING.

At the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 25th of *November* 1816,

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Whereas it hath been represented to this Board, that the plague, which made its appearance and prevailed at Noya, has ceased; it is thereupon ordered, that the Order of Council of the fourteenth of February last, subjecting all ships and vessels liable to quarantine, and coming from or through the Mediterranean within the Streights of Gibraltar (although furnished with clean bills of health), to be treated as vessels arriving with suspected bills, be, and the same is, hereby revoked: and the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General and the rest of the Principal Officers of the Ordnance, His Majesty's Secretary at War, and the Governors or Commanders in Chief for the time being of the isles of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, are to give the necessary directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

Chetwynd.

Carlton-House, November 25, 1816.

This day General de Neuffer, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Wurtemberg, had an audience of His Royal Highness the Prince Regent to deliver his new credentials; to which he was introduced by Earl Bathurst, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, November 26, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint Major William Gossett, of the Royal Engineers, to be a Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath.

Carlton-House, November 25, 1816.

The Prince Regent has been pleased to appoint Sir James M'Grigor, Knt. M.D. F.R.S. Honorary Knight Commander of the Royal Portuguese Order of the Tower and Sword, and Director-General of the Army Medical Board, to be Physician Extraordinary to His Royal Highness.

Whitehall, November 25, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Augustus Pulsford Browne, of Dulverton, in the county of Somerset, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 30, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the thirty-seventh year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act for confirming and continuing, for a "limited time, the restriction contained in the "minute of Council of the twenty-sixth of Fe- "bruary one thousand seven hundred and ninety- "seven, on payments of cash by the Bank;" and also of the several Acts since passed for continuing and amending the same;

I do hereby direct, that there be inserted forthwith in the London Gazette, the following notice from the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, dated the 28th of November 1816, namely:

"That on and after the 9th December next, "the Bank will pay cash for all notes of one and "two pounds value, that are dated prior to the "1st of January 1812, or exchange them for new "notes of the same value, at the option of the "holders." CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

Dated 29th November 1816.

Queen's-Palace, November 26, 1816.

This day the Count de Palmella, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Portugal and Brassil, had his first private audience of Her Majesty; and General de Neuffer, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Wür-

Württemberg, having received new credentials, had also a private audience of Her Majesty; to which they were respectively introduced by Edward Disbrowe, Esq. Her Majesty's Vice-Chamberlain, and conducted by Robert Chester, Esq. Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies.

Carlton-House, November 25, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on John Meade, Esq. Deputy Inspector of Hospitals, in consideration of his eminent services in Hanover.

Foreign-Office, November 30, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint John Parke, Esq. to be His Majesty's Consul in and for the Roman States.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 3, 1816.

IN pursuance of the directions of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two "Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years "of the reign of His present Majesty, as an-

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" thorises the Speaker of the House of Commons " to issue his warrant to the Clerk of the Crown " for making out writs for the election of Mem- " bers to serve in Parliament in the manner " therein mentioned; and for substituting other " provisions for the like purposes:" I do hereby give notice, that the death of Abraham Robarts, Esq. late Member serving in this present Parliament for the city of Worcester, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said city, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand, the 1st day of December 1816, CHAS. ABBOT, Speaker.

War-Office, November 19, 1816.

MEMORANDUM.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of permission being granted to the 13th Foot, to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the regiment, the word " *Martinique*," in consideration of the distinguished services of that corps in the attack and reduction of Martinique, in the month of February 1809.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of the 23d or Royal Welsh Fusileer Regiment being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted

to

to the regiment, the words "*Martinique*" and "*Albuera*," in consideration of the distinguished services of that corps in the attack and reduction of Martinique, in the month of February 1809, and in the battle of Albuera, on the 16th May 1811.

Whitehall, December 3, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Lieutenant Robert Steele, of the Corps of Royal Marines, and Lieutenant-Colonel of the Regiment of Valencia in the Spanish Service, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the supernumerary cross of the royal and distinguished Spanish Order of Charles the Third, which His Catholic Majesty Ferdinand the Seventh, King of Spain, has been pleased to confer upon him, in testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the meritorious services and gallant conduct displayed by that Officer in action with the enemy during the Peninsular war, more especially in the attack of the enemy's entrenchments at the passage of the River Bidassoa, and other actions in the Pyrenees during the year 1813; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 7, 1816.

Whitehall, December 6, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant the dignities of Viscount, Earl, and Marquess of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Francis Earl of Moira, Governor-General of India, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, and General of His Majesty's Forces, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, stiles, and titles of Viscount Loudoun, Earl of Rawdon, and Marquess of Hastings.

Carlton-House, November 25, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Dudley St. Leger Hill, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Colonel in the Portuguese Service, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword.

Whitehall, December 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, hath been pleased, by letters patent, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland,

to the regiment, the words "*Martinique*" and "*Albuera,*" in consideration of the distinguished services of that corps in the attack and reduction of Martinique, in the month of February 1809, and in the battle of Albuera, on the 16th May 1811.

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Carlton-House, November 25, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Dudley St. Leger Hill, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Colonel in the Portuguese Service, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword.

Whitehall, December 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, hath been pleased, by letters patent, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland,

to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Henry Watson, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Colonel of the 1st Portuguese Cavalry, and Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword.

Whitehall, December 7, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant to John Dumaresq, Esq., the office and place of Procurator-General in the island of Jersey, in the room of Thomas Le Breton, Esq. resigned.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has also been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant to Francis John Le Couteur, Esq. the office and place of Advocate-General of the island of Jersey, in the room of John Dumaresq, Esq. resigned.

Whitehall, December 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Alexander Anderson, Esq. Major in the Army, Colonel of the 11th Regiment of Portuguese Infantry, and a Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Majesty the King of Portugal hath been pleased to honour him, as a testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the great courage and intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy in

in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, December 6, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto John Rolt, Esq. Major in the Army, Colonel of the 17th Regiment of Portuguese Infantry, and a Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Majesty the King of Portugal hath been pleased to honour him, as a testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the great courage and intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration, be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

War-Office, December 7, 1816.

MEMORANDUM.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to approve of permission being granted to the 28th Regiment to bear on its colours and appointments, in addition to any other badges or devices which may have been heretofore granted to the regiment, the word "*Vittoria,*" in commemoration of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that regiment in the action at Vittoria, on the 21st June 1813.

His Royal Highness has also been pleased to approve of the Regiment of Royal York Rangers being permitted to bear on its colours and appointments, the words "*Martinique*" and "*Guadaloupe,*" in consequence of the distinguished gallantry displayed by that regiment in the descent upon the island of Martinique, on the 8th February 1809, and in the attack on the island of Guadaloupe, on the 3d February 1810.

Whitehall, December 6, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that James Watson the younger, late of Hyde-Street, Bloomsbury, surgeon, stands charged upon oath, on a violent suspicion of having wilfully and feloniously attempted to kill and murder Richard Platt, on Monday the 2d day of this instant December, by firing a loaded pistol at and desperately wounding the said Richard Platt; and that the said James Watson also stands charged on vehement suspicion with having committed divers other high and atrocious offences;

His

His Royal Highness, for the better and more speedy apprehending and bringing to justice the said James Watson for the felonies and offences aforesaid, is hereby pleased, acting in the name and on behalf of His Majesty, to promise to any person or persons who shall discover and apprehend, or cause to be discovered and apprehended, the said James Watson, the sum of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS; to be paid by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the said James Watson being apprehended and lodged in any one of His Majesty's gaols.

SIDMOUTH.

The above named James Watson is a surgeon by profession, and has been employed in that capacity on board a Greenland Ship: he is a young man, apparently about twenty-three or twenty-four years of age, but is only twenty; dark hair, rather pale complexion, five feet five inches high, rather slender made, has a scar or mole under his right eye; had on a brown great coat, blue under coat, black waistcoat, drab breeches and long gaiters; appearance, shabby genteel: he has lately lodged in Hyde-Street, Bloomsbury, and was in the habit of wearing a black coat buttoned, kerseymere breeches and long gaiters.

Whitehall, December 7, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, early on Monday morning the 25th day of November last, the following anonymous threatening letter, addressed to Mr. Francis Head, clothier, in Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, was found under the front door of his dwelling-house, situate in Chippenham aforesaid;

" Mr

" Mr Francis Head Clothier Chippenham

" Mr Geabey Sir you as the Bailey of this " Borough the inhabitance think it right that you " should go round to the Beakers Landlords and " Shop Keepers and se that ther is meashur and " waite sold and if not don immedieatly you may " depend on it that your Hous shaul be puld down " about your Ears *and the Mill at the other side of* " *the Bridge shaul be sett un fier* I am Sirs yours " well wishin Frend and hope youl seek into " matters sooner than to be destroyed yourself"

" Bradford" " W P"

And whereas it hath also been humbly represented to His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that early on Sunday morning, the 1st day of this instant December, certain grist mills, situate near the Bridge in the Town of Chippenham aforesaid, *being the mills referred to in the before mentioned threatening anonymous letter,* the property of Thomas Edridge, Esq., and occupied by Messrs. Gaby and Dowling, were maliciously destroyed by fire, together with a very large quantity of flour, wheat and other property, then being therein;

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, acting in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in sending the said threatening letter, or in setting fire to the said mills, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious pardon to any one of them, (except the person who actually wrote the said letter, or actually set fire to the said mills), who shall discover his, her or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And as a further encouragement a reward of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY POUNDS is hereby

hereby offered by the said Thomas Edridge; Messrs. Gaby and Dowling; and the Wilts and Western Insurance Society; to any person making such discovery as aforesaid (except as before excepted) to be paid on the conviction of any one or more of the offenders.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 10, 1816.

Carlton-House, December 9, 1816.

THIS day the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Officers of the Corporation of the City of London, waited upon the Prince Regent with the following Address and Petition; which was read by Sir John Silvester, Bart. the Recorder:

To His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, REGENT of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

The humble Address and Petition of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

May it please your Royal Highness,

WE, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London, in Common Council assembled, humbly approach your Royal Highness to

to represent our national sufferings and grievances, and respectfully to suggest the adoption of measures which we conceive to be indispensably necessary for the safety, the quiet, and prosperity of the realm.

We forbear to enter into details of the afflicting scenes of privations and sufferings that every where exist; the distress and misery, which for so many years has been progressively accumulating, has at length become insupportable; it is no longer partially felt nor limited to one portion of the empire, the commercial, the manufacturing, and the agricultural interests are equally sinking under its irresistible pressure; and it has become impossible to find employment for a large mass of the population, much less to bear up against our present enormous burthens.

We beg to impress upon your Royal Highness, that our present complicated evils have not arisen from a mere transition from war to peace, nor from any sudden or accidental causes, neither can they be removed by any partial or temporary expedients.

Our grievances are the natural effect of rash and ruinous wars, unjustly commenced and pertinaciously persisted in, when no rational object was to be obtained; of immense subsidies to Foreign Powers to defend their own territories, or to commit aggressions on those of their neighbours; of a delusive paper currency; of an unconstitutional and unprecedented military force in time of peace; of the unexampled and increasing magnitude of the Civil List; of the enormous sums paid for unmerited pensions and sinecures; and of a long course of the most lavish and improvident expenditure of the public money throughout every branch of the Government; all arising from the corrupt and inadequate state of the representation of the people in Parliament, whereby all constitutional controul over the servants of the Crown has

has been lost, and Parliaments have become subservient to the will of Ministers.

We cannot forbear expressing our grief and disappointment, that notwithstanding your Royal Highness's gracious recommendation of economy at the opening of the last Sessions of Parliament, your Ministers should have been found opposing every proposition for lessening the national expenditure, and that they should have been able to obtain majorities to support and sanction their conduct, in defiance of your Royal Highness's recommendation and the declared sense of the nation; affording another melancholy proof of the corrupt state of the representation, in addition to those facts so often stated and offered to be proved at the bar of the House of Commons, in a petition presented in 1793, by the Honourable Charles now Lord Grey, whereby it appeared that the great body of the people were excluded from all share in the election of Members, and that the majority of that Honourable House, were returned by the proprietors of rotten boroughs, the influence of the Treasury, and a few powerful families.

We can, Sir, no longer support out of our dilapidated resources, an overwhelming load of taxation, and we humbly submit to your Royal Highness, that nothing but a reformation of these abuses, and restoring to the people their just and constitutional right in the election of Members of Parliament, can afford a security against their recurrence, calm the apprehension of the people, allay their irritated feelings, and prevent those misfortunes in which the nation must inevitably be involved, by an obstinate and infatuated adherence to the present system of corruption and extravagance.

We therefore humbly pray your Royal Highness to assemble Parliament as early as possible, and that you will be graciously pleased to recommend

to their immediate consideration these important matters, and the adoption of measures for abolishing all useless places, pensions and sinecures, for the reduction of our present enormous military establishment, for making every practicable reduction in the public expenditure, and restoring to the people their just share and weight in the Legislature.

Signed, by order of Court,

Henry Woodthorpe.

To which Address and Petition His Royal Highness was graciously pleased to return the following Answer:

" It is with strong feelings of surprise and regret that I receive this Address and Petition of the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons, of the City of London, in Common Council assembled.

" Deeply as I deplore the prevailing distress and difficulties of the country, I derive consolation from the persuasion that the great body of His Majesty's subjects, notwithstanding the various attempts which have been made to irritate and mislead them, are well convinced that the severe trials which they sustain with such exemplary patience and fortitude are chiefly to be attributed to unavoidable causes; and I contemplate, with the most cordial satisfaction, the efforts of that enlightened benevolence which is so usefully and laudably exerting itself throughout the kingdom.

" I shall resort, with the utmost confidence, to the tried wisdom of Parliament, at the time which, upon the fullest consideration, I have thought most advisable under the present circumstances of the country; and I entertain a perfect conviction, that a firm and temperate administration of the Government, assisted and supported by the good sense, public spirit and loyalty of the nation, will effectually counteract those proceedings which, from what-

whatever motives they may originate, are calculated to render temporary difficulties the means of producing permanent and irreparable calamity"

Whitehall, December 10, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint Major-General Sir David Ochterlony, Bart. and Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, to be a Knight Grand Cross of the said Most Honourable Military Order.

Camelford-House, July 24, 1816.

Alexander Morison, M. D. has been appointed Physician Extraordinary to their Royal and Serene Highnesses the Princess Charlotte and the Prince Leopold.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 14, 1816.

Whitehall, December 14, 1816.

THE Lord Chancellor has appointed Thomas Hall, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Thomas

Emery, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

The Lord Chancellor has also appointed Edward Lambert Newman, of Dursley, in the county of Gloucester, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 17, 1816.

Foreign-Office, December 17, 1816.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, for the greater convenience of persons having claims upon the French Government, under the Convention concluded at Paris on the 20th day of November 1815, between His Majesty and the Most Christian King, in conformity to the ninth article of the Treaty of Peace of the same date, and which Convention was laid before both Houses of Parliament on the 2d day of February 1816, the term for receiving such claims has been extended, with the consent of the Government of His Most Christian Majesty, from the 20th day of January next, to the 20th day of February next.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 21, 1816.

Whitehall, December 21, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to nominate and appoint the following Officers belonging to the service of the East India Company, to be Companions of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath :

Lieutenant-Colonel John Burnett, 8th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry.
Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph O'Halloran, 18th Regiment Bengal Native Infantry.

Whitehall, December 21, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that some evil-disposed person or persons did, about the hour of ten o'clock on the night of Monday the 16th instant, feloniously, wilfully, and maliciously set fire to a wheat stack belonging to Mr. William Downing, of Denton, in the county of Lincoln, situate in his stack-yard there;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said wheat stack), who shall discover his, her, or their

their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, the following rewards are hereby offered, viz. FIFTY GUINEAS by Sir William Earle Welby, Bart.; FORTY GUINEAS by the said Mr. Downing; TEN GUINEAS by the Grantham Old Association for the Prosecution of Felons; and ONE HUNDRED GUINEAS by the County Fire-Office, to any person or persons (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 24, 1816.

Downing-Street, December 24, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint the Right Honourable Stapleton, Lord Combermere, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-General of His Majesty's Forces, and Commander of the Forces on the Windward and Leeward Island Station, to be Captain-General and Governor in Chief in and over the Island of Barbadoes.

White-

Whitehall, December 17, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed George Burr, of Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

Whitehall, December 20, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Garnham, of Bungay, in the county of Suffolk, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 28, 1816.

Whitehall, December 28, 1816.

HIS Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 24th day of December 1816, to revoke the Commission appointing Osborne Markham, Esq. together with John Fisher and Alexander Lorraine, Esqrs. Commissioners for the Affairs of Barracks, and to appoint Osborne Markham, Esq. to be Comptroller of the Barrack Department.

White-

Whitehall, December 28, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent has been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to appoint Edward Boscawen Frederick, Esq. to be Deputy Comptroller of the Barrack Department.

Whitehall, December 27, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, between the hours of six and ten o'clock on Monday evening the 25th November last, a grist mill, situate at Over-Compton, in the county of Dorset, the property of Robert Goodden, Esq. of very considerable extent and value, was maliciously set on fire and destroyed by some evil-disposed person or persons;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the said felony, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set the said mill on fire), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the said Mr. Robert Goodden to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; or to any person

son or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

Whitehall, December 28, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, about half past seven o'clock in the evening of Tuesday the 10th instant, as Mr. Charles Tadman, of Higham, in the county of Kent, was returning home from Rochester corn market, he was stopped by four persons, about one mile from Strood on the London road, two of whom immediately fired pistols at him, the ball of the first went through the side of his hat, and the ball of the second into the pummel of the saddle; and whereas it hath been further represented unto His Royal Highness, that an anonymous threatening letter, addressed to the said Mr. Charles Tadman, was put into the Rochester Post-Office on Tuesday the 17th instant, evidently written by one of the parties concerned in the atrocious attack above mentioned;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in stopping and attacking the said Mr. Charles Tadman, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person or persons who actually fired the pistols), who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY POUNDS is hereby offered to any person

(except as is before excepted), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

Whitehall, December 28, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that about nine o'clock on the evening of Saturday the 30th November last, a body of men armed with guns, to the number of twelve and upwards, disguised by handkerchiefs, tied down by the side of their faces, attacked and entered with violence into the house of Charles John Clavering, of Littlehamhope, in the parish of Hexham, in the county of Northumberland, Esq. and after behaving in a threatening and outrageous manner, to the imminent peril of the lives of Mrs. Clavering, and other individuals of the family, demanded of the servant a gun, which had been recently taken from a poacher by Mr. Clavering's game-keeper; and further, that the body of armed men committed a violent assault upon the person of Lieutenant Edward Johnson, who was an inmate in the house of Mr. Clavering aforesaid, and feloniously took from the said Lieutenant Johnson, a gun with which he was armed for the purpose of defending Mrs. Clavering from the attacks of the armed men before-mentioned;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the atrocious act above mentioned, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious par-

pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the said Charles John Clavering, Esq. to any person or persons who shall discover his or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the offender or offenders to conviction, or cause him or them to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 31, 1816.

Crown-Office, December 28, 1816.

MEMBER returned to serve in this present PARLIAMENT.

County of Worcester.

The Honourable Henry Beauchamp Lygon, in the room of the Honourable William Beauchamp Lygon, commonly called Viscount Elmley, now Earl Beauchamp, called up to the House of Peers.

Whitehall, December 31, 1816.

His Royal Highness the Prince Regent hath been pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to grant unto Richard Armstrong, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, Companion of the Most Honourable Military Order of the Bath, and Colonel of the 4th Regiment of Portuguese Infantry, His Majesty's royal licence and permission, that he may accept and wear the insignia of a Knight of the Royal Portuguese Military Order of the Tower and Sword, with which His Majesty the King of Portugal hath been pleased to honour him, as a testimony of the high sense which that Sovereign entertains of the great courage and intrepidity displayed by him in several actions with the enemy in the Peninsula; provided nevertheless, that His Majesty's said licence and permission doth not authorise, and shall not be deemed or construed to authorise, the assumption of any style, appellation, rank, precedence, or privilege appertaining unto a Knight Bachelor of these realms:

And His Royal Highness hath been further pleased to command, that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in His Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, December 31, 1816.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William James Voules, of Windsor, in the county of Berks, Gent. to be a Master Extraordinary in the High Court of Chancery.

White-

Whitehall, December 31, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, in the night between Sunday the 15th and Monday the 16th instant, a farm, called Wakeley, near Buntingford, in the county of Hertford, in the occupation of Mr. James Overall, was wilfully and maliciously set on fire by some evil-disposed person or persons, which consumed several stacks of corn and hay;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felony above mentioned, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said premises) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS is hereby offered by the Right Honourable the Earl of Hardwicke to any person (except as is before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the said offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, so to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

White-

Whitehall, December 31, 1816.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented unto His Royal Highness the Prince Regent, that, on Wednesday morning the 11th instant, between three and four o'clock, two stacks of barley in the stack yard of Joseph Briggs, at Ossington, in the county of Notttingham, were discovered to be on fire; and that there is every reason to believe that the said stacks were wilfully and maliciously set on fire;

His Royal Highness, for the better apprehending and bringing to justice the persons concerned in the felony above-mentioned, is hereby pleased, in the name and on the behalf of His Majesty, to promise His Majesty's most gracious pardon to any one of them (except the person who actually set fire to the said stacks), who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof. SIDMOUTH.

And, as a further encouragement, a reward of FIFTY GUINEAS is hereby offered by the said Joseph Briggs, to any person (except as before excepted) who shall discover his, her, or their accomplice or accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof, or to any person or persons who shall apprehend and bring the offenders, or any of them, to conviction, or cause them, or any of them, to be apprehended and convicted as aforesaid.

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